

Abbotsford, Sumas & Matsqui News

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800 Dairymen to Meet Feb. 24-25

Abbotsford is to again become place of annual meeting of Fraser Valley Milk Producers' Association, with anticipated attendance of 800 dairymen to be accommodated in the Sheffield Auditorium on Thursday and Friday, February 24 and 25.

Availability of the Jubilee Hall in 1931 brought the F.V.M.P.A. convention to Abbotsford for the first time. Again in 1933 this town was chosen by the Fraser Valley dairymen as the most central for purposes of their annual meeting. Subsequent destruction of Jubilee hall by fire left the town without accommodation for such a large gathering.

Several important issues are upon the agenda of this year's meeting.

CLAYBURN

Miss Dorren Baynes is confined to her home with scarlet fever.

The members of the hospital auxiliary are holding a Valentine tea in the Lutheran church parlors on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bush and family have moved to Vancouver, where Mr. Bush is employed by the B. C. Electric Co.

Miss Betty Seldon of Vancouver spent the week-end as guest of her mother, Mrs. F. Seldon.

Miss Eileen Mynors has returned from Vancouver, where she visited relatives.

Mr. W. Young has purchased a team of Clydesdale horses from J. Olsen of Matsqui.

BRADNER

A "Burns' Night" supper was held in the hall on January 28 with Mr. D. Nicholson as chairman. The haggis was carried in by Mr. R. Elliot and the pipes were played by Mr. Paul of Vancouver. The address to the haggis was given by Mr. Mr. S. McRae. The toast to the King and Empire was made by Mr. D. Nicholson and the toast to the ladies by Reeve Cruickshank, replied to by Mrs. B. Nichol. The Selkirk grace was said by Rev. Mr. Mitchell. A splendid address on the life of Robert Burns was given by Rev. Mr. McLeod and a Scottish song was sung by Rev. Mr. Mitchell. A recitation was rendered by Miss Thelma Donaldson. An exhibition of Scottish dances in costume was given by six young ladies from Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Sparling have returned from Seattle and are in residence on their ranch.

ARCHIBALD McDONALD

An old-time resident of Bradner, Archibald D. McDonald passed away Monday at his home in the Aldergrove district, aged 73 years. Pneumonia was cause of death. Mr. McDonald has resided in the district for over 23 years.

He is survived by his wife, three sons, John and Leslie at home, Myles at Minstrel Island, and two daughters, Mrs. J. Cashion and Hazel, both of Vancouver.

The funeral was held this morning, requiem mass being sung at St. Anne's church, Abbotsford by Fr. Csaki. Pall-bearers were H. C. Brier, T. Layman, J. Moran, H. Jackman, S. Solomon, W. Towlan. Interment took place in Hazelwood cemetery, Henderson Funeral Home taking care of arrangements.

NOTICE

Annual Meeting

of M.-S.-A. Hospital Society will be held in the Masonic Hall, Abbotsford THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24 1938 at 8 p.m.

All Members Please Attend. G. TRUSSELL, Secy.-Treas.

Rose Theatre

SUMAS, WASH. FRIDAY, SATURDAY, SUNDAY February 11th, 12th & 13th—

ROBERT MONTGOMERY and ROSALIND RUSSELL in—

"Live Love And Learn"

Comedy News Admission 15c and 35c

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY February 15th & 16th—

WM. GARGAN in—

"SHE ASKED FOR IT"

—ALSO— LEW AYRES and MARY CARLISLE in—

"HOLD EM NAVY"

Admission 10c and 15c

Nature's Lavish Strokes of Grandeur And Wealth Near Old Fort Douglas



Old Fort Douglas, at the head of Harrison Lake, where E. J. Trethewey operates a logging camp employing Abbotsford men, provides this majestic mountain view. Formerly a busy stopping place on the first "gold rush trail" to the Cariboo and the Yukon, Fort Douglas, or Teppella has relapsed to the serenity of an Indian village, while its lake front has become "booming grounds" for busy loggers who are denuding Harrison's valleys and draws of their abundant timber wealth. And on Fire Mountain and beyond, mining camps tunnel for Mother Nature's mineral treasures, and in season the towering fastnesses beyond draw to mountain "slides" the adventurous grizzly bear hunter, while in mid-summer the smiling Alpine meadows beckon an occasional botanist in search of unknown floral specimens for study and index.

STALEY—FINCH

On Wednesday evening February 2, at 8.30 o'clock, the marriage of Margaret de le Ree, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Finch of Abbotsford, B.C. to Mr. Arnold E. Staley of Vancouver, second son of Mr. E. C. Staley of Picture Butte, Alta., was solemnized. The Rev. Angus Cameron officiated.

The bride, given in marriage by her father was unattended and wore her going-away costume, a three-piece tulle of wool angora in Persian rose with trimmings of black astrachan. Hat and accessories matched, and a corsage of white carnations and lilies of the valley completed the ensemble.

Miss Aileen Finch of Chilliwack, cousin of the bride, played the wedding march. Only immediate relatives were present, among them being the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Jas. Hall of Lindsay, Ont., whose 84th birthday fell on the same day. Supper was served later in the dining-room, which was prettily decorated in spring colors. The wedding cake was embedded in white flowered tulle ribbon and surrounded by yellow daffodils and pale green tapers in silver holders. Daffodils were also used throughout the rooms.

Mr. and Mrs. Staley left by motor for a short honeymoon, following which they will make their home in Vancouver.

MRS. THOS. ELLIOTT

Several pioneer residents of Sumas Prairie attended the funeral of Mrs. Thomas Elliott, of Vye road south, held in Sumas, Wash., on Saturday. The remains were taken to Bellingham for cremation.

Deceased, who had resided here continuously for 15 years, and whose husband owned land on Sumas for many years previously, was born in Everett, Wash., 51 years ago. She passed away in Sumas hospital following a brief illness.

Abbotsford Theatre

FRIDAY & SATURDAY February 11th & 12th— Matinee Saturday at 2.30

Jeanette MacDonald Allan Jones WARREN WILLIAM in—

"The Firefly"

Music by Rudolf Friml This picture was awarded the Blue Ribbon award for the best picture in November.

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY February 16th & 17th— Admission 35c and 25c for Wednesday and Thursday

LOBO'S Amateur Contest

PLUS SALLY EILERS and ROBERT ARMSTRONG in—

"Without Orders"

A gripping flying picture. Comedy Cartoon

Taxes...

And the Farmer (Canadian Business)

The farmers' contribution to public revenue is often underestimated by men in other business pursuits. Farming in Canada has long since ceased to be a self-sufficient industry and with such development the farmer has been called upon to support an ever-increasing number of public services. Since, in the dual role of producers and consumers, farmers contribute substantially to Provincial and Dominion revenue through such forms of indirect taxation as the excise tax, on real property, it is very difficult to obtain a quantitative measurement of the farm tax burden. The farmers' most important tax, however, is that levied on farm real estate by rural municipalities. In Ontario, in 1931, such taxes made up almost 25 per cent of all municipal taxes levied, and amounted to about 58 per cent of the total revenue for provincial purposes.

For the three years 1929-1931 farm real estate taxes on a group of Ontario orchard farms averaged \$205.00. Expressed in other terms these taxes amounted to \$1.70 per acre, \$1.23 per \$100.00 of real estate valuation, \$4.45 per \$100.00 of gross income, or \$6.42 per \$100.00 of current expenses.

Taxes Four Times as Great

The farmers' tax burden, however, has not always been on such proportions. On the basis of an index of farm taxes in Ontario for the period 1906 to 1933, taxes in 1930 were almost four times as great as in 1906. During this period the average annual increase amounted to 12.4 per cent per year, the greatest increase occurring between 1915 and 1922.

The significance of such an increase in taxes to the farmer may be determined by a comparison of the movement of farm taxes with farm income as measured by the price and purchasing power of farm products. Such a comparison is shown graphically in the above chart. While taxes increased considerably during the period 1905 to 1920, prices of farm produce registered a much more rapid increase. During the period, therefore, little difficulty was experienced in the payment of taxes. Between 1920 and 1924, due to a sharp decline in prices, taxes became considerably higher relative to farm purchasing power. A rise in farm prices into partial adjustment but a further increase in the farm tax burden occurred during the period 1925 to 1929 as a result of increased taxes (Continued on Inside Sheet)

ABBOTSFORD

Sequel to an auto accident near Clayburn recently, in which an Abbotsford girl was painfully injured, a local man was fined \$10 and costs in Matsqui police court this week.

Two Mt. Lehman auto drivers were fined \$2.50 and costs in Matsqui police court this week for operating cars without adequate brakes. The men in question were warned by the highway patrol officer to show proof of having the brakes improved, but neglected to do so.

Gerald Heller and Ernest Swalle of The News staff made a business trip to Port Alberni last week in connection with the newspaper property there.

Miss Effie Roberts will broadcast over CHWK with songs and a tap dance on Monday next at 6 p.m.

Special Education Week Programs in Schools

Throughout Canada it is now customary to set apart in the month of February, with peculiar emphasis, one week which we call "Education Week". Does it bring to you any specific message, any particular significance, or is it simply Education Week by name and date? All parents and residents are asked to visit our schools. There they will see the familiar maps, the exercises in grammar, in history, and what was probably their bete noir—problems in arithmetic.

But during Education Week should all the emphasis be placed on the factual knowledge which our pupils are gaining? Is Ruskin's philosophy not true that "education does not mean teaching them to behave as they do not behave"? Surely in such times of economic insecurity, social unrest, and the distrust and fear of nation towards nation, Education Week should bring with it a glimmer of hope for the future "for the people without vision shall perish".

In our schools, therefore, recognizing the truth of Ruskin's philosophy, we endeavor to inculcate in the hearts of our pupils ideals of honesty, industry, courtesy, loyalty, and consideration towards others; in short—citizenship.

The chief factor that operates to determine the quality of education in our community is your sincere interest in our schools. If our schools are not all that they should be, the responsibility, in some part, at least, with the people of

the community. One thinks that it becomes the duty of each individual, if it be granted that democracy squarely rests upon a comprehensive system of cultural agencies, to see that the cornerstone of society is well and truly laid.

"Open House" at Matsqui School Friday Afternoon

Participating in the observation of Education Week, Matsqui school will be thrown open to pupils' parents and their friends on Friday afternoon from 1 to 3 p.m., when the following programme will be held:

1.00—1.15, Manual Arts, Miss Henry, grades 2 and 3; 1.15—1.30, Art Lesson, Miss Heath, grades 4 and 5; 1.30—1.45—Folk Dancing, Miss Cameron, grades 5 and 6; 1.50—2.10: General Science, Mr. Prasloski, Grade 9; 2.10—2.20: English Lesson, Miss Hurum, grade 7; 2.20—2.30: French Lesson, Miss Hurum, grade 9; 2.30—3.00: Physical Education, Matsqui Hall, Mr. Reid, Grade 7 and 8 boys; 2.30—3.00: Pottery Class, Miss Carlson, grades 7 and 8 girls.

70 Carloads Hay First Order for Saskatchewan

Order for 200 railway carloads of hay is placed in the Fraser Valley by the Saskatchewan government, and an initial order for 70 cars was taken in Abbotsford last Thursday at a meeting attended by a large crowd of farmers.

D. A. Paterson, the reeve of Delta Municipality, who had just returned from Regina, told assembled farmers the Saskatchewan government was prepared to pay as follows for Fraser Valley clover and timothy hay, delivered and loaded on the railway cars:

No. 1—\$8.00 per ton.
No. 2—\$7.00 per ton.
No. 3—\$5.00 per ton.

Allocation for the Sumas, Matsqui district, in which an estimated 2000 to 3000 tons is available, is 100 cars. Called by telephone from Abbotsford following Thursday's meeting, the Saskatchewan minister of agriculture indicated a further 200 cars may be requisitioned. Railroad car capacity is 12-15 tons each.

Saskatchewan was in a bad way. Reeve Paterson reported, with 174 municipalities requiring aid, and 286,000 head of cattle and horses to be fed from outside sources.

Farmers report the price offered as low, but consider it better business to sell at the price offered than carry last year's hay, with residues too from previous years, into the 1938 crop.

Hay inspector arrived at Delta from Regina yesterday, and after making tests in Ladner will go over Sumas and Matsqui districts to OK hay in barn before delivery is permitted to the railway siding.

B.-K. Milling Co. and Buckerville's are government agents in the transaction, and authorized to make cash payment to farmers upon delivery, and act without commission.

C. V. Fair September 13 and 14; Matsqui, September 16

Abbotsford fair date is set for September 13 and 14, and the Matsqui fair September 16, it was decided at a meeting of the Central Valley Fair Association, held in Abbotsford recently.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. D. Clark, Marshall Road, announce the engagement of their third daughter, Hilda Florence to Mr. George Harold Morgan, only son of Mrs. M. Morgan of Vancouver, B.C.

MATSQUI'S SPOILED BALLOTS

Editor, A.-S.-M. News: I would appreciate it if you would insert the following letter as an explanation of the supposedly spoiled ballots at the Poplar hall on January 22nd.

As Deputy Returning Officer for this Poll, there were handed to me the ballot-box, containing the ballots etc., no instructions were given as to the reason for the various colors of ballots.

At the opening of the poll on January 22nd, I commenced to use two pads of ballots of 50 each, one set for reeve and the others for councillor, later these were used I started on the pads containing 25 each, noticing that they were of different colors.

On enquiring after the poll, when told that there was over 50 spoiled ballots for reeve and councillor, respectively, I was told that the pads of 50 ballots were intended for what is termed, Tendered Ballots, which means that they were to be used for any person who on coming to vote, discovered that some one had voted on their name.

I doubt whether one such ballot was ever used in this election, and to give one pads of 50 ballots each for one poll does not seem reasonable. As far as the count was concerned it was absolutely impossible for anyone to know who cast these ballots, as there was no distinguishing mark upon them, therefore to call them spoiled ballots is in no way logical. I trust that the voters will understand and accept this explanation.

H. C. GREEN

MATSQUI

Mr. Ralph Kemprud and Mr. K. Reid spent the week-end in Seattle. Miss Elspeth Lehman and Miss Margaret Lehman of Vancouver were the guests of Miss Eva Carlson over the week-end.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. E. Carlson on February 16.

George Kerr is confined to his home with influenza.

Mrs. E. Trethewey has generously offered to instruct a junior badminton class in connection with the Matsqui School Badminton Club and arrangements have been made to hold this class from 3 to 5 p. m. on Tuesday afternoons.

The basketball Clubs of the Matsqui school are looking forward to a busy week. Wednesday the girls team meets the Bradner girls and on Thursday both teams play Mission in the local hall.

An enjoyable whist drive was held at the home of Rev. and Mrs. E.H. Baker on Friday evening, when six tables were in play. The prize winners were, Ladies first; Mrs. H. Rottluff, Ladies consolation; Mrs. Henry, Gents first went to Mr. T. Rottluff and Gents consolation went to Mr. Hansen. Following the whist a social hour was enjoyed and musical selections were given by Miss Charlotte Rottluff. Proceeds were in aid of the Canadian League for Peace and Democracy.

A delightful affair was held on Thursday evening in the Glenmore school, when Mr. and Mrs. W. Thompson entertained at a dancing party in honor of the twenty-first birthday anniversary of their eldest son David Thompson. About sixty guests attended the affair, music was provided by Miss V. Ostrom, Mr. B. Borg and Mr. W. Thompson. Mr. and Mrs. Lambert, who have been spending the past six months at Yorkton, Saskatchewan have returned home.

Matsqui Village Ratepayers Contemplating Incorporation

Matsqui village has for some time discussed the pros and cons of incorporation under the Village Municipalities Act, and this issue was again brought up recently at a meeting of Ward Four Ratepayers' Association. Purchase of a new power grader by the Municipality is being contemplated by the Council, and the expenditure is not generally approved by ratepayers in the prairie sections of Matsqui, with the old threat of division of the district into "high land" and "low land" municipalities.

Young Newsboy Victim of Hit-and-Motorist on Yale Rd.

Callously left lying in a Yale road ditch near Clearbrook road on Saturday night by a hit-and-run motorist, eleven-year-old Eric Watson, orphan and Mt. Lehman newsboy, is speculating today upon the fine qualities of human nature as he surveys his totally wrecked bicycle and nurses his bruises. The young lad, who stays with Mr. and Mrs. Fleet, Mt. Lehman north, was struck down at about 7.30, recovered consciousness an hour later and trudged into Abbotsford to tell police of what had befallen him. All the lad asks is replacement of his bicycle to enable him carry on his meagre trade, and if the party responsible reads this, it is hoped he will have enough latent decency to openly or even anonymously make amends.

Lobo Promotes Amateur Tests

An "amateur hour contest" is being held on February 16 and 17 in the Abbotsford Theatre, under direction of Mr. R. Lobo, who has just completed contests at various points on Vancouver Island. The event here is being held in conjunction with the local theatre showing, so that on each evening there will be a performance of amateurs, followed by the movie, then another hour of local talent followed by a second showing of the picture. If sufficient amateurs enter, all the four "hours" will be comprised of different numbers. Mr. Lobo states that it is his intention to form a group of 200 amateurs. These will be presented in amateur hour radio broadcasts over CKMO, starting March 15. Mr. Lobo plans to have his successful artists viewed by motion picture producers, radio sponsors, group show managers, etc., with a view to selecting material for public entertainment.

Hot Drinks for Cold Days

There's nothing like a steaming hot drink to warm and refresh you on a cold, raw day. Get the habit of dropping into Hunt's—for quick, tasty, nourishing hot chocolates, malted milks, etc.

Hunt's

Phone 39 "THE BRIGHT SPOT"

ANGELIC SERVICES

St. Matthew's, Abbotsford— Holy Communion 9.30 a.m. Evensong 7.30 p.m. St. Margaret's, Bradner— Holy Communion .. 11.00 a.m.

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Trappers in southern and central Alberta are having a "poor year", it was reported by the Alberta game branch. Lack of snow was blamed.

A new motor road from Hamburg to the Danish frontier, as planned, involves the boring of a tunnel more than a mile in length and 100 feet wide under the Kiel Canal.

Excavators at Catford found a jar filled with gold coins worth, by weight £200 (\$1,000). The coins bore the head of Charles I. or James I. and a Latin inscription.

Export of arms, ammunition and implements of war to the value of \$82,420 was licensed under 18 government permits during December, according to a statement at Ottawa by Revenue Minister J. L. Hilsley.

Emil Wooley of Tillamook, Ore., figured his horse had outlived its usefulness, so he sold it for \$2.50. Wooley's brother-in-law figured he needed a horse, so he bought one for \$50—the same horse.

An airmail letter mailed in Wellington, N.Z., December 31 and addressed to W. A. Brown of Peterborough, Ont., arrived there Jan. 10. The 9,000-mile trip was completed in eight days.

Sir Charles G. D. Roberts, author of more than 60 volumes of poetry, fiction and history, celebrated his 78th birthday, Jan. 10. A native of Douglas, N.B., Sir Charles has been a resident of Toronto for the last 12 years.

Manitoba district council of the Brotherhood of Railway Employees urged immediate enactment of Dominion legislation that would require all employers to grant employees at least two weeks' holidays annually with pay.

Lord Tweedsmuir, governor-general of Canada, will respond to a unique toast at a University of Toronto banquet, March 8. The toast will be to the memory of a dead man, Lord Durham, who came to Canada 100 years ago and whose report on the rebellions of 1837 was one of the foundations of Canada's constitution.

VERSATILE AND GAY—THIS JUMPER THAT CON- TRASTS ITS BLOUSE

By Anne Adams



Have you ever seen as appealing a kiddie-style as this unusual Anne Adams design? Every little girl will love a jumper-frock for school or play and adore this type of dress that may boast more than one blouse change. It's a wise mother who chooses Pattern 4493, for this model is so easy to run up, that you'll have each simple seam stitched in only a short time. Any "little lady" will approve the captivating finishing touches—bright buttons down the front, trim shoulder bands, Peter Pan collar, and puffed-up sleeves! Nice in cotton crash, with blouse piece.

Pattern 4493 is available in children's sizes 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10. Size 6 jumper takes 1½ yards 36 inch fabric and blouse 1¼ yards 36 inch fabric. Illustrated step-by-step sewing instructions included. Send twenty cents (20c) in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) for this Anne Adams pattern. Write plainly Size, Name, Address and Style Number and send order to the Anne Adams Pattern Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave. E., Winnipeg.

Thirty-nine traffic lights do the work of 15 policemen in the new plan to control traffic in Piccadilly Circus in London.

FLIN FLON

"The Story of Its Finding and Position To-day"

By PRATT KUHN

Here are the pictures we should have given you last week to complete the story.

The incline here was terrific, an unnatural climb for untrained legs, but finally I got to the top and found that the belts levelled off at sorting tables where a dozen men were working.

Sprays of water dashed over the ore as the belts moved through and these expert sorters pulled off on an average 150 tons a day of material classed as waste, dropping it down through the side of the building and into waiting dump cars.

After this the belt carried the remainder to other crushers that reduced the whole to ¾-inch diameter, then to ball crushers that made it into a paste, aided by plenty of water.

From here on it was water and chemicals that did the trick. The ore was first treated in vats with chemicals that bubbled the water and floated off the zinc. Then other treatments to float off the copper and then finally the finest of the balance was treated with cyanide for gold.

However, the copper concentrates as they were called when the water was drained out of them, went on other belts to storage bins from which they were drawn as needed by the smelters which never close down, night or day.

The zinc was extracted from the concentrates by the electrolytic process which consists of floating them through wooden vats in which are suspended thin sheets of aluminium. Electric current causes the zinc to adhere to the aluminium on both sides, and at least 30 men were at work steadily pulling up the sheets stripping the zinc, which is about ¼-inch thick, by use of a short broad faced crowbar and piling on trucks to take to the furnace where it is melted into slabs about 50 to 60 pounds in weight, ready for shipment.

Before entering the zinc department I noticed the building was open to the air on all sides and that everybody wore face masks over nose and mouth. I didn't know why till I stepped in and then, zowie! my breath caught, and how I coughed.

I didn't stay long, even with the protection of a handkerchief, but was told afterwards that the sensation was caused by particles in flotation, not dangerous to health but unpleasant, and I agreed with the latter statement though the workers did not seem to mind.

The copper concentrates I followed to the top of the smelter which is just like a furnace eight stories high. You'll remember I said the ore contained sulphur. Well, when I got to the top, what between heat and sulphur fumes, I almost fell down.

Aided by air driven in (oxygen and nitrogen) this sulphur, does all its own burning of the rock. Yes, that's right. You can start a furnace with some paper and a little wood and lots of air and the ore catches fire and burns itself. On each of the eight levels there are big metal fingers suspended from bars and travelling slowly round and round in the flaming ore, gradually pushing it towards holes in the centre of the furnace, where it drops to the next level. Here the same process except the bars push it towards holes on the outside of the floor and so on to the bottom where, with most impurities out, the ore goes to the final crucible.

Here is heat that staggers you. Furnaces fed with powdered coal under high draft, so much ore, so much sand (as a flux) showers of sparks and more heat. Finally its just right, the plug is cracked in the bottom of the furnace, the molten metal is drawn off in crucibles suspended from motor driven apparatus on rails near the ceiling, and swung over to pour into moulds.

The resultant bricks are shipped to Montreal, Que., where a final process takes out any gold or silver. A remoulding of the copper is made, at which time it is practically 100% pure.

This is a quick and sketchy trip through a mine, a mill and a smelter, but its quite a grind to do it on foot, and my leg muscles ached for three or four days from the steep climb.

An outstanding thing above ground also was the small amount of labor required to do an immense amount of work.

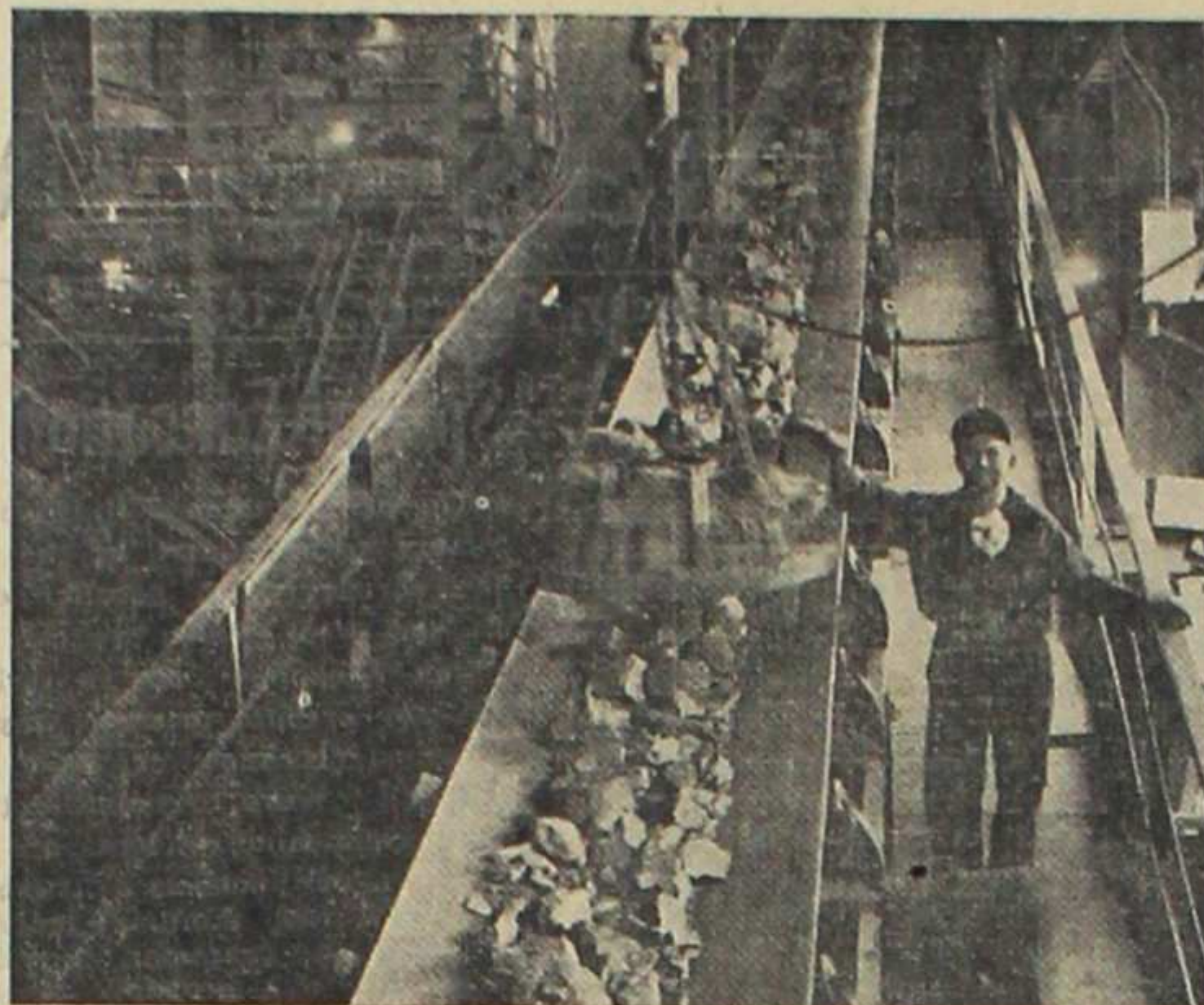
Of course, where water was being filtered out of concentrates in big bays you'd find men controlling the operations, and everywhere necessary like the zinc plant, smelters, foundry, etc., but the automatic machinery is marvellous and almost human in its perfection. An immense amount of water is used and everywhere they're either adding water or filtering it away as the processes proceed.

Finally when they've got all they can out of the ore the residue is driven, by water again, through big wooden pipes, away in the distance a mile or so where it is gradually filling up an abandoned lake.

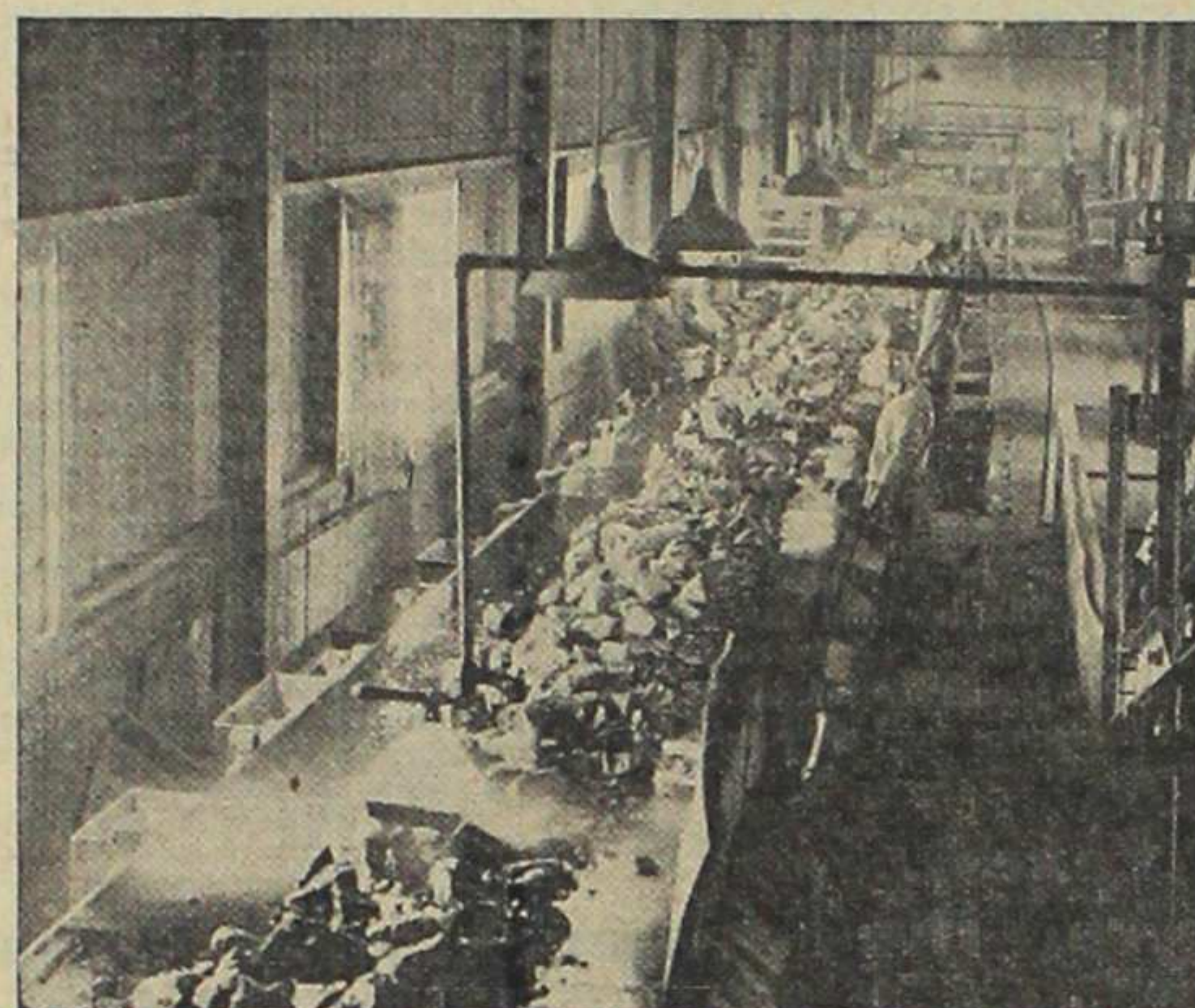
Making It Double

An undergraduate was hard up, so he wrote his father asking for a remittance of \$20. Knowing his father's tardiness at reply to this kind of a request, the young man added this postscript: "Remember he gives double who gives quickly." His father wired him \$10.

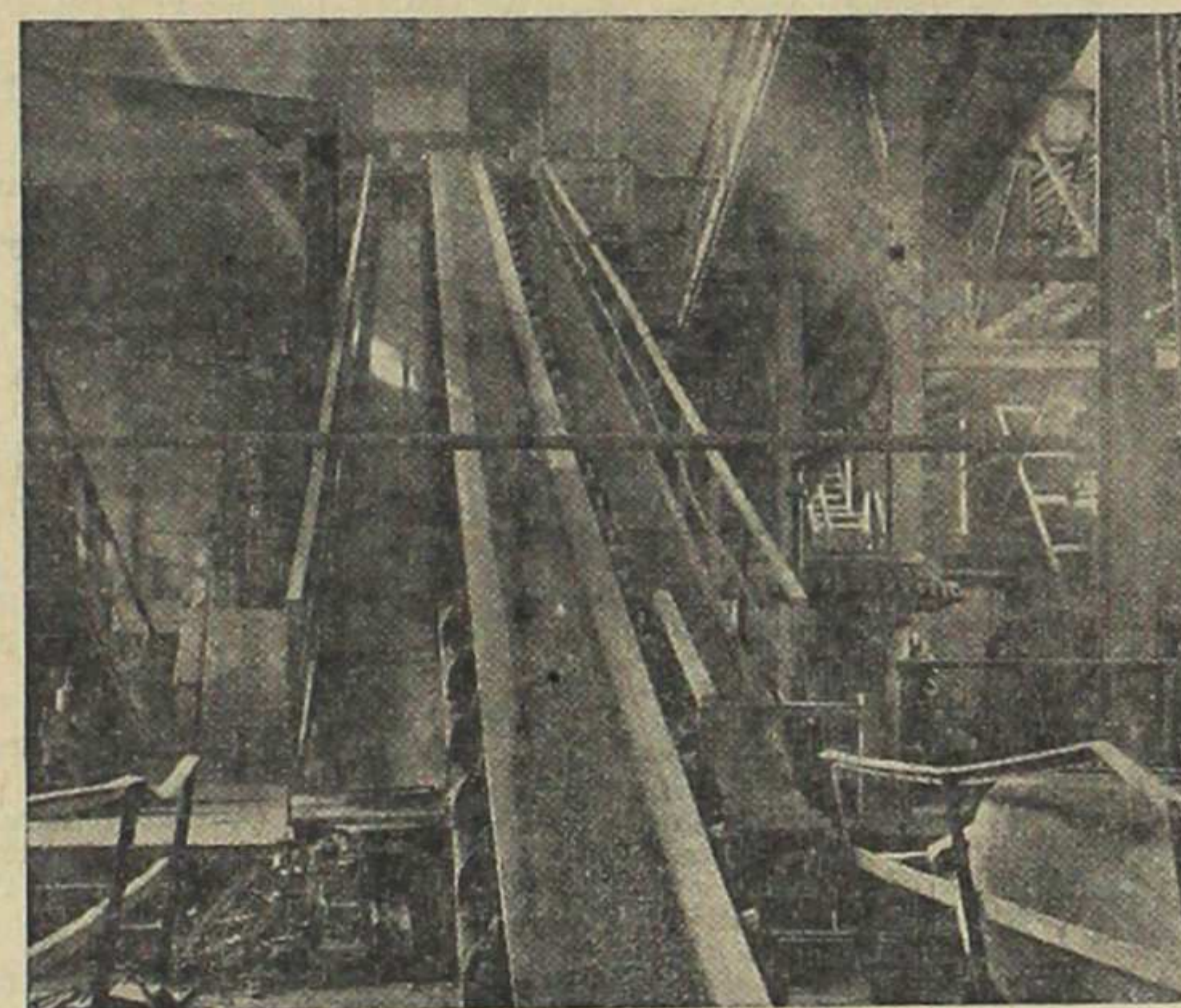
A young man, asked if he favored higher education for women, said: "No, if they are pretty, it's unnecessary, and if they are not, it's inadequate."



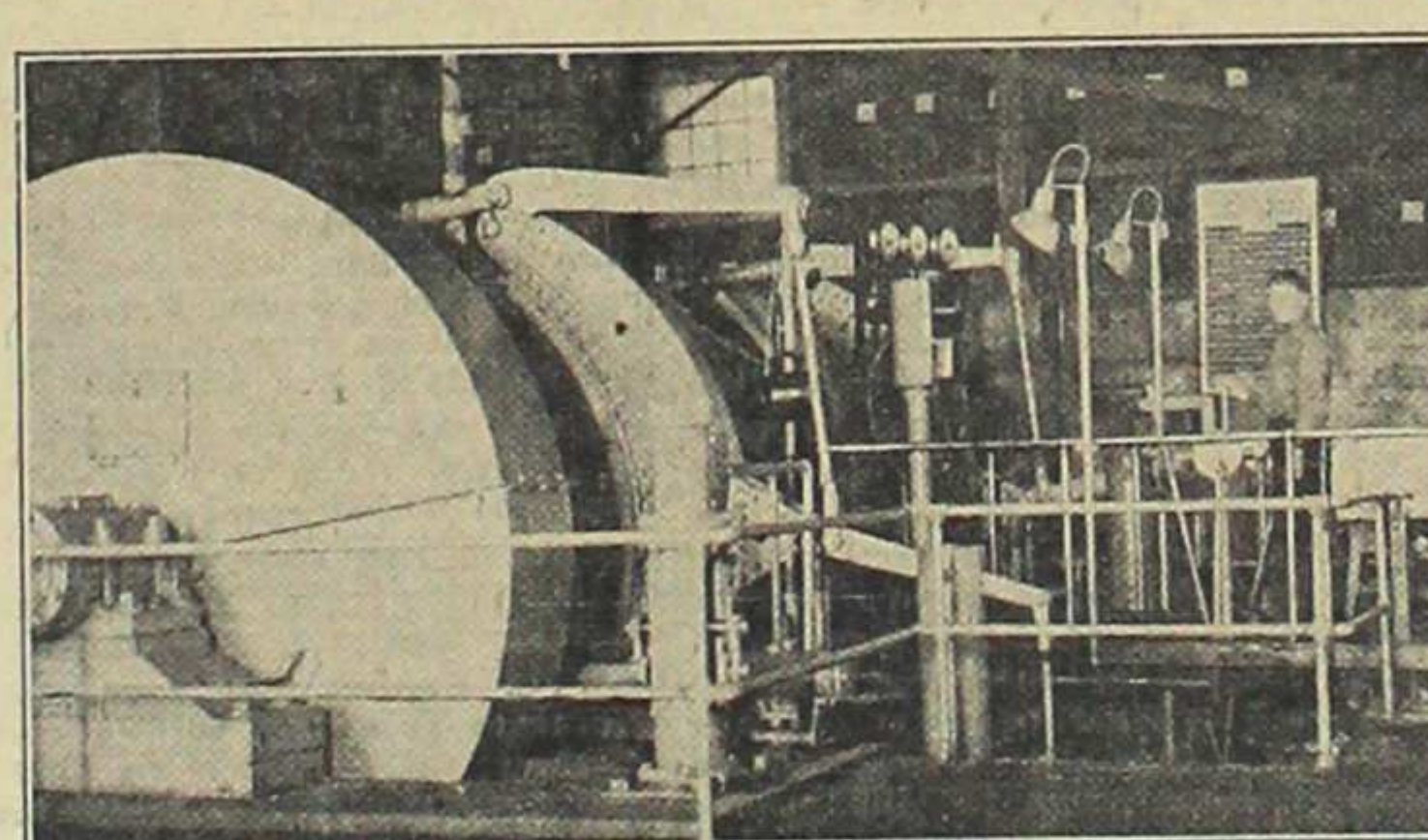
Ore at Flin Flon as it comes from the first crusher. Note the electric magnet suspended over the travelling belt to remove pieces of iron, etc. This ore is on its way to the Symons crusher.



As the ore travels over the sorting tables at Flin Flon, sprays of water clean it and these experts throw out rock which carries no value.



These big rubber travelling belts are conveying ore that has been through the secondary crusher at Flin Flon.



An idea of the tremendous brakes necessary to control the mine elevators. Note size of man on platform.

Kept Queen Bees Alive

About 2,500 Drones Sacrificed Lives On Voyage To Australia

To keep alive 23 or 30 queen bees on the steamer *Orcades*, which arrived at Sydney, Australia, from London, 2,500 drones killed themselves.

The queen bees were imported from Italy for Australian beekeepers. Each queen was worth \$8. They travelled in an air-conditioned cabin. Only seven died on the voyage. The gallant drones sacrificed themselves by fanning and feeding the queen bees. Each queen had an escort of 80 to 100 drones, the majority of which died succoring their mistresses.

The 23 lives queens were put under an anaesthetic and carefully examined under a microscope by Department of Agriculture officials before landing.

Although more than 20 feet long, the dinosaur *Stegosaurus* had only a 2½-ounce brain.

Will Be Reconstructed

London's Famous Long Bar In Use For Forty Years

A bar which has been the meeting place for nearly 40 years of Britons returning from all parts of the Empire and the world—the Long Bar at the Trocadero—had the final "Time, gentlemen, please," called on a recent night. Immediately afterwards the equipment was cleared away and the work of dismantling and reconstruction begun.

Opened in 1901, the Long Bar became the progenitor of a series of bars with the same name in many parts of the world. Men home from abroad went there and consulted the "oversea book", in which thousands of planters, traders, officials, and others had written their addresses abroad and their British addresses in order that they could be traced by friends.

The ultra-violet light of the sun varies in intensity as much as 20 per cent.

Straight Talk

The World Must Make The Cause Of Peace A Concrete Reality

What the world needs in 1938, and needs more than anything else, is commitments, bonds and covenants which will make the cause of peace a concrete reality instead of the vague will o' the wisp it has now become. Commitments for peace, and commitments for the defence of peace: these are the aims which the world of 1938 must set for itself. They will be hard to come by. The betrayals and cowardice of the past return at every hand to mock us. But the attempt must be made: unless the whole world is to suffer the Gogoltha which China began in 1937.

That course still remains open if there is courage to follow it, and courage to pursue to the end the consequences of the attempt. The deterrent to the aggressor lies not in the mere heaping up of armaments which may be used against him. It lies only in making clear to him that, in certain given circumstances and after certain definite procedures, these armaments will be used against him.

He must be left in no doubt that the weapon will be used; and the machinery to effectively employ that weapon remains, as it has always been, the League of Nations.—Winnipeg Free Press.

Interesting Find

Discover Skull Of Prehistoric Man In Cairo, Egypt

Discovery of the skull of a prehistoric man, believed to date back 8,000 years, in the Fayoum Desert 70 miles from Cairo, has aroused interest of archaeologists.

The skull was found by C. Townsend, manager of the Cairo branch of a British bank. The Fayoum depression is considered the cradle of one of the world's earliest civilizations.

Two British women, Miss Caton Thompson and Miss E. W. Gardner, in 1924-25 found near Lake Moeris other traces of a race of pastoral-agricultural people, possessed of a fully-evolved Neolithic culture, who are believed to have lived nearly 8,000 years ago.

Townsend stumbled across the Neolithic skull of a strange prehistoric man. The two central incisor teeth of the skull are missing and a wisdom tooth was also missing. The skull is very small and is that of a man possessing poorly developed mental faculties.

Chinese Children Head Class

Four In One Family Stand Highest In Ontario School

Principal J. F. Harvey, who presented diplomas to the graduating class of the High School at Lakefield, Ont., mentioned that the graduating was not so large as usual, but he said, "the quality is every bit as good."

"The school holds a unique record," Mr. Harvey continued, "for four students from one family stand first in four forms of the school—Rose Wong stood highest in First Form, Lily Wong stood highest in Second Form, Mary Wong stood highest in Third Form, and George Wong stood highest in Fourth Form. We are exceptionally proud of these children; their average was well over 90 per cent. in all subjects. Sometimes I think that a school composed of the type of student such as the Wong children would be the teachers' Utopia."

To Guard Against Treachery

Wine Was Poured From One Glass Into Another

The custom of touching glasses when drinking originated with the Roman gladiators who were accustomed to drink a glass of wine before fighting. Two glasses of wine were brought by friends of one or the other gladiator, and to guard against treachery through the poisoning of the wine in one of the glasses the gladiators would pour the wine from one glass into the other until it was thoroughly mixed.

Later it became a mere custom to show a friendly spirit between persons drinking together, and when the danger of poisoned wine was past, the actual act of pouring the wine from one glass to another changed to merely touching the glasses together.—Exchange.

The North Star, being in a continuation of the line of the earth's axis, appears as a pivot around which all the rest of the stars revolve every 24 hours.

A wild deer seldom dares to attack man, but a tame deer sometimes attacks furiously.

Damage done by insects nullifies the work of a million men annually.

Health

LEAGUE of CANADA presents TOPICS of VITAL INTEREST

by DR. J. W. S. McCULLOUGH

ARTICLE No. 24 Cancer Of The Skin

Cancer of the skin is of many varieties and is very common, particularly in fair white races. The commonest skin cancers are rodent ulcers and epitheliomas. They occur on exposed parts of the body and among the factors which play an important part in their causation and prevention are the actinic or chemically active rays of sunlight and pigmentation of the skin. Despite the fact that dark-skinned people occupy as a rule the hottest regions, where the effects of sunlight are most severe and long-continued, the sun's action upon them is comparatively light. The melanin, the pigment of the skin, stands as a sentinel guarding the underlying tissues from the baneful effects of sunlight.

The backs of the hands and the face suffer most from the skin cancers. It is remarkable that these cancers, plain to view, are often allowed to progress without treatment until the condition is hopeless. This is because the public have not yet learned to distinguish the early signs of cancer.

How Can Cancers Of The Skin Be Recognized?

1. Rodent Ulcer. This type generally affects the central horizontal third of the face, that is, the area bounded below by a line drawn just beneath the nose to the lobule of the ear and limited above by the line of the eyebrows. A large number of cases arise from the inner and outer angles of the eyes and the groove between nose and face. Rodent ulcer begins as a small nodule with a shiny appearance sometimes having small veins on the surface. The growth slowly enlarges, breaks down in the centre and ulcerates. Rodent ulcers do not spread to other parts of the body. The person goes on treating it with salve from the druggist or some quack remedy until it becomes incurable.

2. The Epitheliomas are a somewhat rapidly-growing malignant disease of the skin, prone to spread to other parts of the body. This form of cancer is commoner in the aged than in those of younger years, and is rather more frequent in men than in women because men are more exposed to injury and to the weather. The predominating sites are those exposed to strong sunlight that is the ears, face, neck, hands and forearms. An epithelioma frequently arises from a brownish spot caused by the sun's action on the skin, the effect of tar, soot, paraffin, arsenic, X-ray or ultra violet light, radium and X-rays in the hands of untrained persons. It may appear as a pea-shaped growth or as an ulcer which softens in the centre. The nodule is dome-shaped with a surface like the skin. Taken in the early stage both rodent ulcers and epitheliomas are quite curable. Neglected they are sure causes of death.

Next article: Cancer from X-rays.

Editorial Note: Readers desiring the complete set of Dr. McCullough's cancer articles at once may secure same by writing to—The Health League of Canada, 105 Bond St., Toronto, Ont.

Tests Are Interesting

Show Altitude Pressure Effects On The Boiling Of Eggs

A three-minute egg is anything but that when cooked in an airplane. Tests conducted by Pan American Airways Transpacific clippers proved that a three-minute egg is a three and a half-minute egg when cooked at 5,000 feet altitude and at 12,000 feet it is a four and a half-minute egg. The tests were conducted to determine altitude pressure effects on the boiling of eggs.

And The Church Moved

It is reported that in the Sudbury district a religious broadcast will be taken off so that an American comedian can be heard. In Texas some years ago there was a law forbidding the erection of a saloon within 200 yards of a church. When it was discovered that less than this distance separated a church from a saloon the Mayor gave the congregation a week to move the church.—Toronto Globe and Mail.

WHAT HO!

By RICHARD CONNELL

By Arrangement With Thomas Allen, Publisher, Toronto.

CHAPTER IV.—Continued

"Well, now, that is extraordinarily kind of you," said the earl. "But unusual, but so are we. I don't see why we shouldn't. Do you, Rosa?"

"It's very good of Mr. Bingley to ask us to stay," she said. "But it would be an imposition."

"No," said Ernest. "Not at all." "It would save us from staying with Julia," pointed out the earl. "My sister, Mr. Bingley, and a positive pill. Her house leaks salt air. A month with her is one long gargle. And her port, Mr. Bingley! Only fit to dye Easter eggs with. It's the port that has decided me. We'll stay, Mr. Bingley, and many thanks—that is, if Lady Rosa agrees."

Ernest looked at her. "Please say 'yes,'" he said. She said, "Yes."

"And now, Mr. Bingley," said the earl, "make yourself at home."

"Thank you, sir," said Ernest. "But first I must go down to the village, return Ralph, get my things, and send off a cable to America."

"Crump will see to all that," said the earl. "I've some cable forms around somewhere. Just fill one out and Crump will see that it is sent off at once."

"If you don't mind, sir," said Ernest, "I'd rather attend to the cable myself."

"Ah, I see," said the earl. "Big business deal no doubt."

"Biggest I ever made," said Ernest.

The earl gave an impressed whistle.

"Wish I were an international financier," he remarked. "Mergers, amalgamations, syndicates and so forth. But I can never remember what nine times seven is."

"Would you like to leave immediately?" Lady Rosa asked Ernest.

"Yes, please. It is rather urgent."

"I'll run you down to the village," she said. "You can send your cable from the post-office there."

"Thank you."

"Rosa," said the earl, "does our chauffeur these days. She drives like a wild woman, I must warn you."

"I won't mind," said Ernest.

"We're off, then," said Lady Rosa.

"Good-bye then," said the earl, "and will you stop in the village and get me some toffee?"

Ernest stepped into the Bingley car. Once it had been a good, even grand equipage, but that was in the days when motor-makers tried to copy faithfully the contours of horse-drawn vehicles. Its brass shone, and its paint gave evidence of tender care, but when Lady Rosa, at the wheel, tried to start it, it uttered a low moan, gave a gasp, and was silent. She got out, raised the hood

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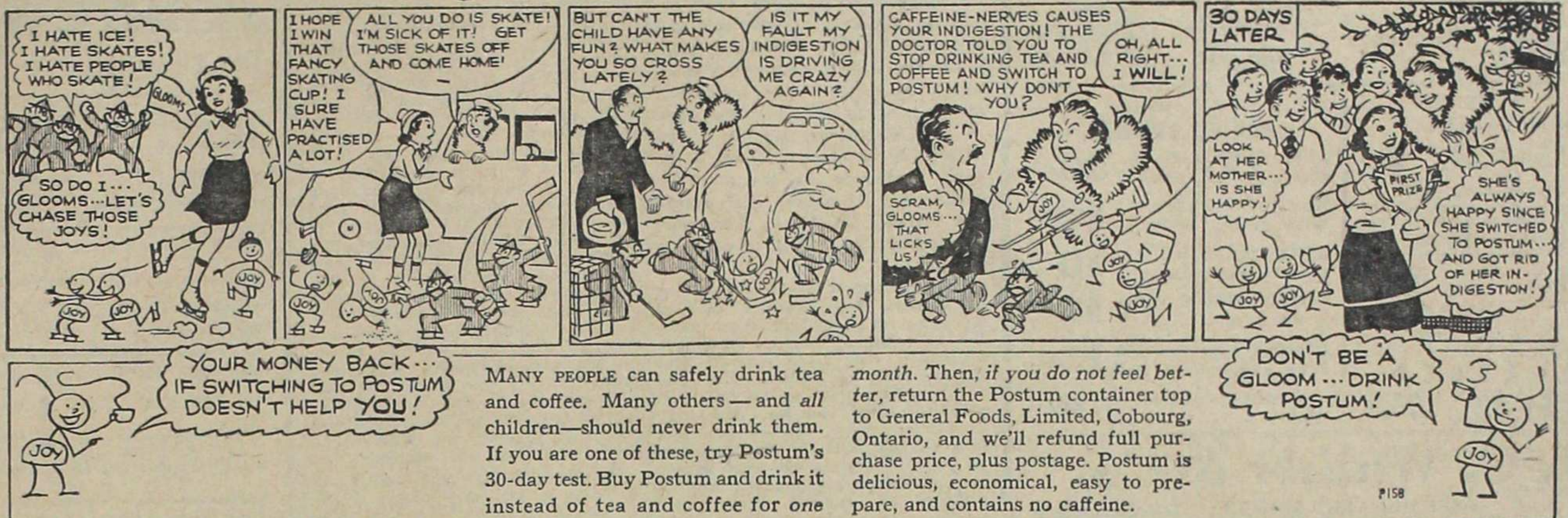
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and peered into the antediluvian works.

"I thought so," she said. "That old battery will leak, no matter what I do. Well, we'll just have to foot it into the village and rent a new one."

"Couldn't you telephone?" suggested Ernest.

"My dear young man," she said, "this is a castle. We are not on the telephone."

"It's a long walk," said Ernest.

"Let me go alone."

"I'll go with you."

They started out of the garage. Ernest's eye was caught by a large white shape like a fallen cloud.

"Ralph!" he exclaimed.

Ralph was biting his initials in the castle door.

"Fancy my forgetting Ralph," said Lady Rosa. "You'll have to return him, I suppose. I'd ask Esme to ride him back, but Esme would swoon at the idea. Not swoon, perhaps, swear."

"I have an idea," said Ernest.

"We could hitch him to the car."

"No wonder the Americans are a great race," said Lady Rosa. "There's a coil of rope in the potting shed."

Presently Ralph was attached to the car by a heavy rope, with lighter ropes fastened to his bridle to guide him.

"Forward march!" commanded Lady Rosa.

Ralph shook his head in the negative.

"We'll have to get some beer," said Ernest.

"Beer?"

"He won't start without it."

"Sensible of him," said Lady Rosa.

Raising her voice she shouted, "Crump."

He appeared so swiftly that he must have been watching the scene.

"A pail of beer, Crump, please."

"A pail, m'lady?"

"A pail."

"Yes, m'lady."

The potion was administered to Ralph and he started off at a shambling jog. And thus did Ernest Bingley and Lady Rosa enter the village of Pennyton.

Having turned Ralph over to Grig, paid the rental fee, and possessed himself of his luggage, Ernest went to the post-office.

After much crinkling of the brow and chewing of the pen, he concocted his message.

It was addressed to Mr. Caleb Slocum, Bear Falls, Iowa, U.S.A., and read,

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"ERNEST BINGLEY."

When he came out Lady Rosa was waiting for him in the revitalized car. She was eating some of her father's toffee.

"Well," she greeted him, "did you buy that gold mine?"

"No," said Ernest. "Sold it."

"And now," she said, as she whirled the starter, "off to Bingley Castle, and may you enjoy your month there."

"I know I shall."

They wheeled round a corner at a pace which threatened to shake the elderly car apart.

"You're very silent," she remarked.

"Thinking?"

"Yes."

"What about?"

"I'm thinking," said Ernest, "what a funny thing life is."

CHAPTER V.

"What's for breakfast?" inquired the Earl of Bingley.

Ernest, whose life had been a quick succession of chain-surprises since he first trod British turf the day before, was again surprised; for that affable, if scatter-witted nobleman had already engulfed a dish of prunes, two cups of tea and a gargantuan bowl of porridge.

Crump apprised his lordship that he might have omelette, grilled kidneys or kegerree.

The earl furrowed his forehead

over the problem and at last reached a decision.

"Bit of each, please," he said.

"And you, sir?" asked the butler.

"Kegerree, please," said Ernest, promptly. He had met the word in books but never the reality on a plate, and he had not even the cloudiest notion as to what it might be; but he was in a mood where he did not care if it turned out to be tripe, tapioca or baboon stew.

"Sleep well, Ernest?" asked the earl.

He had upset another of Ernest's ideas about Englishmen by reaching the first name stage of friendliness at dinner the night before. With the soup it had been "Mr. Bingley"; with the roast "Bingley"; with the dessert "Rag"; and, after the second glass of port, "Ernest."

"I slept like a top, sir," answered Ernest.

"What odd things one says," remarked the earl. "Have I, have you, any one ever seen a top asleep?"

The kegerree proved to be a delicious concoction of fish, rice and hard boiled eggs.

They were in the breakfast room, one of the castle's few concessions to modernity, a cheerful place with apple green walls and gray curtains of salmon chintz. The door opened.

"Good morning, father. Good morning, Cousin Ernest."

It was Lady Rosa, bright and fresh as the day.

They greeted her and she sat down and began to surround porridge in a way that made Ernest think that whatever might be the state of the Bingley finances there was nothing the matter with the Bingley appetites.

"I hope you had a good rest," she said to Ernest.

"Thank you, I did."

"He slept like a top," said the earl.

"I hope that doesn't mean you kept turning round and round all night, Ernest."

"Oh, no, sir," laughed Ernest; but it was a white lie, even a pale gray one. Tired though he had been after his long, event-crowded day, Ernest had tossed and turned in the jumbo bed in his tower suite. Excitement and worry, he learned, are not exactly sleeping draughts. He was stimulated, but pleasantly, by the memory of his first night in the castle. He kept thinking how lovely Rosa looked in her simple white gown as she sat in the candlelight at the piano and sang "A Pretty Girl Milking Her Cow," and other old ballads.

Ernest, of necessity, had worn his blue serge suit, bought at Gintzer Brothers, "Outfitters for Dads and Lads," in Bear Falls. His lack of a dinner jacket had embarrassed him, for, of course, the earl would dress for dinner or else all English novelists are arrant fabricators; but the earl appeared in flannel bags, an old blue velvet smoking jacket, and, as an added touch of informality, wore a tie that looked like a melted rainbow. Crump had taken an inventory of Ernest's wardrobe when he unpacked it, and had turned in a detailed report to his employer. As he enumerated the items, Crump wagged his head over each, and clucked.

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For National Health

Promising Expansion Of Health Programs For Canada

Few New Years' greetings omit a wish for 'health and happiness.' Invariably we associate one with the other, for without health there can be little happiness.

In Canada, national health is taking a more prominent place in public attention than for some time and the prospects for 1938 are encouraging.

The current issue of "Health", official publication of the Health League of Canada, contains a timely editorial in reference to this. We quote it as follows:

"The question of achieving national health in Canada or in any country for that matter is fraught with difficulties and complications. Not the least of these is the general tendency of humans to lock the stable-door after the steed is stolen. The tradition of cure rather than prevention has persisted so long that it is extremely difficult to change what has become a more or less permanent point of view. The facts as to illness in Canada present a picture which is little less startling. The cost of illness is so great that one would imagine that action would be precipitated once the average citizen becomes aware of the situation. All down the lines, however, one finds the same situation. We fail to pasteurize milk although we know full well that raw milk carries disease and causes disability and death. Epidemics of preventable, communicable disease break out although the means of its prevention are well known. Failure to periodically overhaul the human body results in the development of incipient disease into serious disease and still nothing is done about it."

"One constantly wonders at these strange paradoxes. At the same time one must realize that in spite of all difficulties progress has been made. Deep though our pessimism may be we cannot fail to realize that people to-day live longer than they used to and that the notable extension in longevity which has taken place even since the beginning of this century is an indication of the fact that science has its innings sooner or later. At the moment there seem to be more possibilities for the expansion of health programmes in Canada than ever before. For the first time in many years there are signs that real national leadership is developing in the health field. New divisions have been developed in the Federal Department of Health. There is a new sympathy to suggestions of progressive action. Health is talked about in the press. There is a Royal Commission on Dominion and Provincial relations at work under the chairmanship of the Honorable Chief Justice Rowell, who incidentally was Canada's first Minister of Health, and various provinces are making representations to the Commission in connection with co-operative efforts for health conservation throughout the Dominion."

"Dominion leadership in this great field does mean something. It means Dominion activity, Dominion co-operation and the expenditure of Dominion money. While it suggests the cutting of hospital expense and the saving of energy which could be better applied than in the care of the unnecessarily sick, it also means ultimately the building up of a long-lived race of healthy Canadians."

Arms Exports

Ammunition And Implements Of War Exported To Value Of \$82,420 During December

Export of arms, ammunition and implements of war to the value of \$82,420 was licensed under 18 government permits during December, according to a statement by Revenue Minister J. L. Ilsley. For the last six months, during which the export licensing system has been in vogue, 97 permits have been issued, their value \$307,170.

Commercial aircraft valued at \$19,906 were exported during the month, with Venezuela the best customer to the extent of \$15,706. The United States took the rest. Venezuela also bought three military aeroplanes valued at \$18,205.

Civilization is the system under which a business man rushes to town and pays a quarter to park his car, so he won't be fined a dollar while he is eating a fifteen-cent breakfast.

Chinese Medical Lore

Knowledge Of Medicine Known To Chinese Thousands Of Years Ago

Knowledge of medicine known to Chinese thousands of years ago has been re-discovered by occidental physicians through modern scientific means, Dr. F. A. Stewart-Dunn, of Edmonton, professor of pharmacy at the University of Alberta, said in an address before the young men's section of the board of trade with members of the Calgary Academy of Medicine present.

Far-back records of Chinese pharmacists showed ancient doctors could perform nearly 50 operations, including those of a major type. They also knew the use of anaesthetics, the records revealed.

Dr. Dunn returned from China two years ago, where he spent a year studying oriental medicines. He was at Lingnan University, at Canton, for nine months.

Treatment of disease in China, he said, ran mostly to medicine and the natives were opposed to surgery in any form.

"I have seen cases of compound fractures of the arm or leg, which after treatment by the Chinese method allowed the patient to walk around and go back to his work 10 days after the accident," Dr. Stewart-Dunn asserted.

Pecan Nuts Require Light

At Night Trees Cannot Utilize Materials That Form Fats

In Yuma, Ariz., it has been found that artificial light stimulates the growth in pecans. It is only in the presence of light that the pecan plant can utilize the carbon dioxide gas which combines with water and minerals from the soil to form the fat of pecan kernels. The use of artificial light at night lengthens the time during which fats can be formed by the trees and is especially important in the older orchards where there is such intense shade that nuts cannot fill out properly.—"Electrical West".

The Duke of Wellington is credited with first use of the phrase, "circumstances over which I have no control," in reference to business complications with which his son was involved in 1839 or 1840.

Little Helps For This Week

Take no thought how or what ye shall speak, for it shall be given you in that hour what ye shall speak. Matthew 10:19.

Just to follow hour by hour As He leadeth; Just to draw the moment's power As it needeth.

You may have a disagreeable duty to do at 12 o'clock, but do not blacken the hours between with the color of twelve. Do the work of each and reap your reward in peace. So when the dreaded future moment becomes the present you shall meet it walking in the light that will overcome darkness. The best preparation is the present well seen to, the last duty done. For this will keep the eye so clear, and the body so full of light, that the right action will be seen at once, the right words will come, and you will be able to overcome the disagreeable hour with the help of the Spirit of God.

Changed The Fashions

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The Man At The Oar

"Business uncertainty has revived the contention that labor-saving industrial inventions throw men out of work. As far back as 1811, a half-wit named Ned Ludd, attributing confusion in the Lancashire textile industry to the introduction of new machinery, started a riot to destroy stocking frames. However, production by the machines developed economics that opened new markets. And soon there were insufficient unemployed to carry on the riot.

Each period of business slackness in Canada has brought forward its quota of Ned Ludds to blame the labor-saving devices. In each depression they have moaned that at last the saturation point had been reached, when no further markets remained to be developed. There is always the chance that in each new case the Luddites may be right. Certainly the past decade has supplied a considerable body of evidence to support their contention. But, looking back over the hundred years since their anti-ma-

chine association has been actively functioning, the records show them to have been always wrong.

Mr. H. G. Wells recently pointed out that inventions cannot be de-invented. No doubt he also had in mind that a comet or a thorough going over might effectively de-invent everything—certainly he has written enough on those subjects to be given the benefit of the doubt. A general catastrophe might make mankind forget even the invention of the wheel, or of the axe-handle-inside-the-axe-head, which consumed a thousand years of antique experimenting to discover. But, short of these larger possibilities, new devices will likely continue to take over more and more of the most onerous chores of mankind. Someday they may take over all the chores, so that everyone will be able to spend all his time at the movies, which will then have to open even earlier than eleven o'clock in the morning.

However, there will be fewer wants in a cold and hungry world, and more machines to supply those wants—before mankind may rest from its labors. In the meantime, inventions have increased, rather than decreased, employment. Any examination of the figures, both before and since the beginning of the Industrial Revolution, shows that free employment up to this decade stands at an all-time high in the world's history. And the general standard of living is also at an all-time high.

The evidence is against poor Ned Ludd and his wrecking of machines to save textile workers from unemployment. Today in Canada, for instance, the textile industry provides employment for one out of every five industrial workers. And visitors to mill towns such as Magog or Valleyfield know how the machine as used in textile production has raised the standard of living.

The entire debate on inventions might well have ended hundreds and hundreds of years ago, when first a ship was equipped with sails. At the time when that tremendous development was made in the use of textiles, a tired-looking man might have been seen sitting in a boat that was not equipped with sails. As he watched the first sailing ship moving about in the water, he may have said to the fellow next to him: "Some folks hold that inventions throw people out of work and others hold that they raise the standard of living. Now, it looks to me as though this new use of sail-cloth for moving ships from place to place will throw me out of employment in which I am at present engaged. But I figure to gain greatly by the new development. It's going to raise my standard of living. You know, I've been getting a trifle tired of pulling on this galley oar."

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5:10 p.m.	11:35 p.m.
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A birthday party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Roberts on Wednesday evening in observance of the 17th birthday of their daughter, Effie. Dancing and entertainment by local musicians did much to make a most pleasant evening for the young folks.

HIGH SCHOOL THESPIANS GIVE GOOD PERFORMANCE

Evidence of remarkable achievement since their organization by Elspeth Lehman, president of the Fraser Valley Drama Association last fall was given by the Phillip Sheffield Players at their first public production last Friday in the High School Auditorium.

First offering was "The Last Race" a neat one-act Canadian play with an exciting climax. Out of a cast of sharply-defined, well-interpreted characters, special mention should perhaps be made of the ease and sincerity with which the part of "Mick Hamilton" was played.

In "Joint Owners in Spain", a cast of four girls entered into the spirit with fine abandon. The role of "Mrs. Blair" a satisfying part, was well handled throughout, as was the very different but equally difficult role of "Miss Dyer."

During intermission short addresses were given by Mr. T. W. Hall local director of education, and Miss Piggott, vice-principal of the school, the latter speaking on the educative value of drama work and of the advances made in the province of Alberta in the interests of child development.

The orchestra recently organized under Mr. T. A. Quayle contributed generously to the evening's entertainment.

Horses Fetch Good Price

Horses cost money again. At an auction sale by Dennis in Chilliwack last week as high as \$156 was paid for an Alberta farm animal, the lowest \$40, the average being \$95 a head. The horses weighed from 1350 to 1700 lbs., and sale terms were spot cash.

Third edition of a useful map of Canada has been issued by the Department of Mines and Resources, a free copy of which may be had by any school upon application.

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Ratepayers' Ass'n. Wants

Shade Trees, New Hall

Community requirements such as shade trees on Jubilee park and the village streets, a dance hall, and Christmas decorations were discussed at the annual meeting of Abbotsford Ratepayers' Association, held in the Masonic hall on Monday, and committees delegated to proceed with plans for these improvements.

D. Willan, retiring president, and J. Lawrence, secretary, concurred in their report that while attendance and participation in the association's activities had not been 100%, they felt that a ratepayers' organization had justified its existence in its first year of activity.

Dissatisfaction was generally expressed over the arrangements made at Christmas in the stringing of colored lights in the main business block, and a committee was delegated to interview Mr. E. Burns and secure a complete report upon the matter.

School Ground Improvements

Commissioner G. Bader reported projected improvement of the public school grounds jointly by the Village Commission and the School Director by laying of a shale walk around the school and connecting with Pine street. An observation was made that Abbotsford public school was one of the few school properties within the district which had not been painted since the Area had come under government direction.

Committee convenors were named as follows:

Membership—Doug. Willan.

Utilities—Jim Daly.

Health & Sanitation—E. Moulden.

Parks & Planning—E. A. Hunt.

Mr. Hunt selected J. Daly and G. Heller to join him in a visit to local nurseries and approach the Village Council in regard to planting of shade trees on Jubilee park.

E. S. Plaxton was chosen chairman for the ensuing term, with E. A. Hunt as vice-president, and Jas. Lawrence continuing the secretarial work.

Financial Statement To Be

Given Lake Area Farmers

Sumas landowners with property in the Lake Area will be rendered a financial statement of the affairs of Sumas Dyking and Drainage District as soon as it can be prepared. Angus Campbell, president of Sumas Landowners' Association has received this information from Dykes Commissioner Bruce Dickson.

THE NEWSPAPER

In a statistical report evidently intended to shed some light on the future of the newsprint industry, the Royal Bank of Canada shows that the per capita consumption of newsprint in the world's leading countries is determined largely by the degree of self government enjoyed by the people. The per capita consumption in the United Kingdom is 60 pounds a year; it is 57 pounds in the United States, 58 in Australia and New Zealand and 36 in Canada. These five countries lead the world. At the other end of the table are Russia, Italy and Mexico with 3 lbs. each, Germany with 11 pounds and Japan with 13 pounds. The bank's conclusion from these figures are as follows:

"The statistics of newsprint consumption in the countries just mentioned and in a number of other democratic countries, such as Denmark, Sweden, Argentina and the Netherlands, suggest that the newspaper is an important instrument of democracy. Is it true that where the people must make economic, political and social decisions for themselves there comes an almost automatic demand for a wider scope of information? Does it follow that in democratic countries high-grade newspaper, showing independence of all editorial opinion, should receive the support of all those who prefer the present form of government? That the Public of Canada and the United States maintained a high level of demand for newspaper even under the adverse circumstances of severe depression is significant.

The reference to the maintenance of a high level of demand for newspapers under adverse conditions of depression refers to another section of the report which shows that between 1926 and 1937, the circulation of newspapers in ten large Canadian cities increased from 1,205,967 to 1,488,526 while the circulation in 50 large American cities increased from 19,323,979 to 22,536,018. There was a drop of about 5 per cent in circulation during the worst of the depression, but it was overcome, and the increase for the period is about same as the increase in population. In spite of new forms of competition, the reliance of the people on their newspapers remains unshaken.

Circulation is not, of course, a measure of newspaper prosperity. It does not figure largely in the economics of the industry. Indeed, there are times when a newspaper that is not faithful to its mission could profit by reducing its circulation. Newspapers suffer severe depression losses. There were many suspensions and consolidations. But the usefulness of the newspaper as a servant and defender of democracy remains as great as ever.—Indianapolis News

15 Years Ago

(From The News files)

Councillor J. Higginson thanks the Matsqui electors for his election to the Council.

Abbotsford town lots \$110 each, 60x130 feet. A. McCallum.

Mr. F. Fooks was injured while riding on a speeder on the G.N.R. track returning home from Kilgord.

Miss Bartholomen is visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. Plaxton.

The house being erected on McCallum road for Mrs. Burns is almost completed. Five other houses are under construction by her son-in-law, Mr. J. A. McDonald.

We still stick up hand-written notices of coming events but we are already beginning to refer to the News for information—Kilgord.

Mr. T. B. Stratton was elected chairman of Kilgord Ratepayers Association and S. Good the secretary. Executive: F. Farmer, E. H. Boley, W. Harris, T. Dawson and T. Mathers.

Over \$1000 has been expended in improvements to the local Orange Hall during the past few weeks.

Abbotsford has a creditable movie show under ownership of M. Shore.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross who were recently married are now settled in their new home on Upper Sumas Road.

Mrs. Alder is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Bedlow.

Mrs. F. J. Tapp was an Abbotsford visitor on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryenton gave an enjoyable party on Friday night.

Tom Lehman was re-appointed constable for Matsqui municipality.

W. Stewart calls the annual meeting of Abbotsford Liberal Assn.

Mr. Wm. Tracey spent a few days at his home in Peardonville and attended his brother's wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward, Kilgord, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ryall.

Abbotsford-Sumas Agricultural Association is seeking a site for fair grounds. Directors named were: S. D. Trethewey, C. Wallace, F. E. White, N. Hill, G. H. Heller, A. H. Harrop, G. Gough, Wm. Porter, J. L. Starr, J. Frith, J. McGowan, J. Brydges, R. H. Eby, D. Rucker, A. Thornthwaite, A. Brokovski, W. D. Kerfoot, H. Peck, G. F. Pratt, E. Webster, R. Duncan.

Staffs of the local banks give their third annual dance on Mar. 23.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Tracey have returned from their honeymoon.

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AND TAKE NOTICE that after the last mentioned date the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the Estate to the persons entitled thereto or otherwise deal with the same, having regard only to the claims of which said Executor shall then have had notice.

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A Worthy Objective

There may be a good many people in Western Canada who could not give the exact location of Kingsville, Ontario, but there are very few who have not heard or read about, and some who have visited, the institution for which Kingsville is famous—the bird sanctuary owned and operated by Jack Miner, the great friend of wild life and of children.

Even those who are only slightly familiar with the great work that is being done by Jack Miner to conserve bird life for the enjoyment of posterity and to promote love for and kindness to wild life among adults and children, will be more than glad to learn that efforts are being made, not only to preserve the sanctuary for all time to come, but to enlarge it and thus extend the scope of its usefulness by adding to the premises.

Fame Is Widespread

The fame of Jack Miner's bird sanctuary has extended far beyond the boundaries of Canada, even beyond the confines of this continent. His conservation plans for the benefit of future generations are almost as well known in Europe as in Canada and the United States, and only two years ago he was approached by officials of the Government of Czechoslovakia for information and advice, as a result of which that country to-day has a chain of sanctuaries for bird life patterned after the Jack Miner sanctuary at Kingsville, Ontario. Indeed, his influence may be said to have spread around the world and his example is probably doing more to inspire conservation of bird life than that of any other man living.

Those who have visited the Miner sanctuary at Kingsville know well enough the great human value of his work and it does not take much reflection to realize that it also has a material economic valuation. Tourists from all countries of the world are drawn to his door and none depart without carrying away with them pleasant recollections of scenes of beauty and lessons on conservation to serve a lifetime.

A Great Influence

A succinct summary of the value of the work of this pioneer bird bander is contained in the following tribute paid by Arthur Jensen, Game Warden for Essex County, Ontario, in a recent broadcast:

"In my opinion Jack Miner, the Canadian naturalist, and his bird sanctuary at Kingsville, Ontario, holds the same place in conservation as Mr. Henry Ford holds in the realm of industry. Jack Miner has been twenty years ahead. The sanctuary system of conservation and artificial feeding of bird life which he has preached from coast to coast for the last twenty-five years has been an example which hundreds of individuals have copied as well as State, Provincial and Federal governments, with the result thousands of birds are alive to-day, yes, perhaps millions, through Jack Miner's influence both directly and indirectly."

What Jack Miner has done in the past quarter of the century to preserve many species of game birds for the benefit of sportsmen of this and future generations, for the enjoyment of the lover of all that is beautiful in Nature and for the benefit of the tourist, and industry dependent upon the tourist, cannot be calculated in dollars and cents. His work is a memorial which will endure throughout the ages and will be recorded in the pages of history, and the sanctuary itself is a memorial which should be preserved for the nation, for future generations, and as an attraction for visitors from other countries of the world.

Aid Is Required

Although some assistance has been rendered by governments to Jack Miner's enterprise, unfortunately the work has been carried on at a pecuniary loss and the operation of the sanctuary is encumbered by a deficit of \$10,000. He, himself, has passed the allotted three score years and ten and there is no guarantee that the enterprise at Kingsville will or can be carried on after his demise unless some public-spirited individual or organization makes its perpetuation a financial possibility.

It is reported that an endowment of approximately a million dollars is required to ensure this happy consummation, with an additional \$250,000 to provide for an extension of the present crowded facilities.

Would Ensure Perpetuity

An endowment to ensure the continuance of this work and the preservation of what amounts to an international monument would be more than a happy gesture for some such institution as the Rockefeller Foundation which, according to a compilation in an article in a recent issue of Fortune magazine, has already expended some twenty-seven millions of dollars creating national parks on the other side of the Canada-U.S. boundary.

In the expenditures he has already made for similar objectives, Mr. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., has given evidence of his realization of the value of outdoor recreation for humanity and the endowment of such an institution as the Jack Miner bird sanctuary would not only constitute a fine gesture of international goodwill on his part or on the part of some other wealthy citizen of the United States, but would emphasize the international value of Mr. Miner's efforts for the whole of mankind.

Takes The Championship

Women may be changeable, but County Auditor Earl Milliken, of Seattle, gives the mind-changing championship to a prospective bridegroom. The youth asked for his money back on a marriage license. Told that was impossible, he asked whether he could use it for another girl. The answer again was no. "Aw nuts!" he exclaimed. "Guess I'll go back to the first girl."

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An Appropriate Hymn

After the early morning services the sexton found a lady's wrist watch at the Church of England in Bridgetown, Barbados. The parson announced the finding of this at the following service and intimated that the owner could have the watch by applying at the vestry. He thereupon announced Hymn 362: "Lord her watch thy Church is keeping."

When Peaches Were Money

For the consolation of California fruit growers who sometimes complain of falling prices, the University of California has established that during the gold rush days of 1854, peaches sold for \$3.50 each. A year later the bottom had dropped out of the market and they only brought \$1.00.

A contract for 44 locomotives for the South African Railways, to cost \$560,000 (\$2,527,470) has been placed in Glasgow, Scotland.

The Problem Of Employability

Physical Fitness Engaging The Attention Of British Columbia

More recent studies of national unemployment make a clear distinction between those who are employable and those who are not, and from statements made by Chairman Purvis of the Dominion's Commission and other authorities it is evident that too large a proportion of the unemployed are unemployable.

As there is a close relationship of physical fitness to employability, British Columbia's experiment in recreation work is of national interest. That work is in charge of Ian Eisenhardt, who contributes a most informative article on the subject to "Health", the publication of the Health League of Canada.

In the course of this article, the writer says:

"Broadly, the scheme may be described as one to extend to all classes certain physical advantages that formerly were enjoyed by only the more favored.

"The State is interested in the mental as well as the physical health of its people. You cannot have a healthy mind without a healthy body, but neither can you have a really healthy body without a healthy mind.

"When the Government launched the British Columbia Physical Training Scheme, the women were not forgotten. Physical fitness of our young women is no less important than that of the boys. And the women have availed themselves of the opportunities afforded, and to-day outnumber the men members considerably.

"The work of the Centres is to provide an inspiration to give advice and to assist in organizing, and also to induce those, who, for various reasons, would be unable to take part in sports and games, to join in the wholesome activities which the Centres provide. Although we here in British Columbia are leading the Dominion of Canada, through this scheme, it will take some years before we can really measure results. We have a long way to go yet, and we shall not be successful until all our citizens are convinced of the value of physical fitness."

Has Memory For Numbers

Man In South Africa Never Forgets One He Sees

A memory wizard has been discovered at Riversdale, South Africa. He is 24-year-old Jacobus Britz, a cripple, who earns his living by doing odd jobs, such as running messages. Britz's specialty is numbers. Without hesitation he can rattle off the registration number of any one of Riversdale's 1,300 motor car owners. If the names of car owners are called out at random, he can not only give the numbers of their present cars but those of cars previously owned by them. Britz can remember the answers to all the sums he did at school. If he is given a handful of bank notes he can, after giving them a quick glance, repeat their numbers without hesitation. He was educated at a little country school in the foothills of the Langeberg. His powers seem to be confined to memorizing numbers.

Use Clay For Food

Natives Of Papua Say It Has A Medicinal Effect

Clay is a food delicacy to a tribe living on the banks of the Fly River, Papua. This was discovered by a patrol officer who has returned to the coast from the middle reaches of the river. The men of the tribe collect the clay, mould it into balls, and dry it in the sun. They eat them mixed with other foods. The tribespeople declare that the clay has a medicinal effect. It makes their heads clearer, they say, and gives them courage in battle.

Just A Hint

At a smoking concert one of the company, who was a little inebriated, insisted on singing several songs. As he did not possess the slightest vocal ability his efforts were not appreciated.

At last one exasperated listener cried:

"Do you know 'The Long, Long Trail'?"

"Yes," replied the gratified would-be vocalist. "Shall I sing it?"

"No, hike it," was the unfeeling reply.

Giraffe Grows Rapidly

The baby born Dec. 26 at Whipsnade zoo, London, to Peter and Rosie, the Birango giraffes, grew 10 inches in one day. At birth it stood five feet, two inches. The baby giraffe grew to a height of six feet in 24 hours, a zoo official declared.

During the early days of the World War, sea lions were trained to track submarines.

Soil And Climate

Saskatchewan Problems Dealt With By University Professor

Problems arising from Saskatchewan's soil and climate and the province's farm settlement will not be solved for 20 or 25 years, Prof. John Mitchell, of the Saskatchewan University soil department, told the Adult Education Association at Saskatoon.

Dr. Mitchell began a new series of addresses to the association based on the provincial government's submission to the Rowell commission on Dominion-provincial relations.

Problems included soil fertility, climate, land utilization, northern settlements and the social questions raised by combination of these factors.

Saskatchewan lands had lost much fertility through drouth, Prof. Mitchell declared, but practically all this loss had occurred on soils originally poor wheat land and had been occasioned principally by drifting. Little of the loss came from excessive cropping.

Even within the drouth area much land suitable to wheat production would go on producing good wheat crops in years of normal rainfall for the next 100 years. The only point to be watched was that this land be given no opportunity to drift.

New problems were being created by settlement of northern Saskatchewan bush land, generally even less fertile than the poor land of the drouth area.

Research Council

Manitoba Planning For Scientific Investigation Of Waste Products In The West

J. M. Davidson, managing secretary, announced that steps had been taken by the Winnipeg Industrial Development Board toward the formation of a provincial research council for scientific investigation of the waste products and surpluses in Western agriculture.

"Valuable work has been done on the use of organic materials in industry by the National Research Council but many believe it is influenced too much by eastern manufacturing and political interest," he said. "There is a feeling that it might well function to a greater extent in the interests of the West."

"For the past two years, the Industrial Development Board has attempted to revive interest in the question of industrial and agricultural research in Canada in the hope that work already done by the National Research Council, which has millions of dollars invested in this work, would be reviewed," he added.

Increased Armaments

Great Britain To Strengthen Her Rapidly Growing Navy

Italy's accelerated naval program was generally viewed in London as calling for even further strengthening of Great Britain's rapidly growing navy.

Scarcely had the wires from Rome ceased humming with the news when admiralty circles openly talked of laying the keel this year for battleships of from 46,000 to 52,000 tons carrying 16-inch guns. The largest man-of-war afloat, the British battlecruiser Hood, is of 42,000 tons, carrying 15-inch guns.

British sources saw Premier Mussolini's latest armament gesture as bringing to the fore anew the problem of balance of power in the Mediterranean. It goes without saying, they declared, that Italy's move will figure heavily in the British admiralty's deliberations of the next few months.

Within Realm Of Reason

U.S. Airman Believes Entirely Automatic 'Plane Is Possible'

The entirely automatic aeroplane operating from takeoff to destination without the touch of a human hand, "is well within the realm of reason," Capt. George V. Holloman, of the United States Army Air Corps, said in a paper prepared for presentation to the Society of Automotive Engineers.

His treatise described the army's experiments with robot flights and robot landings. The army pioneered the system which permits bringing an aeroplane to the ground by the sole use of radio waves and ingenious devices which even go so far as to apply the brakes gently after the plane is on the airport and rolling across the runway.

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Satisfied At Home

People In Britain Have No Incentive To Emigrate

The Empire migration problem is not limited to the fact that at present the Dominions do not want immigrants because they have many of their own people unemployed, according to Sir Charles Malcolm Barclay-Harvey, M.P., in the British House of Commons for Kincardine and West Aberdeen.

It is complicated by the fact that social legislation in Britain has made the security of the working man there something that he will not likely surrender for the privilege of pioneering far from his home.

"I don't mean that our people have become softies," he told a reporter. "I am a strong advocate of Empire migration and I hope and believe that the problems can be solved. But I do wish to point out that the British working man has a far greater measure of security and ease than had the great bulk of emigrants who left Britain in the old days to better their condition through pioneering in undeveloped lands.

"Under present circumstances, people who might have migrated from Britain in the old days feel that migration to-day would mean that they would have to give up more than they could gain in any of the Dominions."

Does Not Happen Often

But Snow Sometimes Falls For Many Hours In Texas

Don't let anyone tell you they never have snow in Texas. They have storms that last for hours and the snow comes down in abundance, states W. L. Clark, in the Windsor Star.

We know because we drove for more than 100 miles in a snowstorm in West Texas. It was soft and slushy, but all it needed was a few more degrees of frost to turn the roads into skating rinks of ice.

Those snows don't happen very often and Texans excuse them by declaring they are "unusual", but that does not alter the fact that the snow in Texas is just like the snow in any other place, and it makes the roads as slushy and messy.

ALICE STEVENS' RECIPES

"DISHPAN HANDS" NEED NOT BE UGLY

With a little daily care, hands may be kept smooth and soft, even through cold, harsh weather and battles with the dishpan.

For a non-greasy hand lotion—mix four teaspoons of glycerine, one pint of boiling water, one level teaspoon of powdered gum tragacanth and 11 drop oil of bitter almonds. Shake the mixture well or beat it smooth with an egg-beater.

For stained nails and hands—rub them with vinegar, lemon, tomato, rhubarb juice, cucumber, pumice stone or cornmeal moistened with buttermilk.

For a good cuticle remover—add one teaspoon of vaseline to one teaspoon powdered pumice.

For brittle nails, hang nails or cracked finger tips—dip the fingers in warm oil or fat before retiring. Mutton tallow is found to be specially healing. It is also advised that flaxseed be eaten, as this adds oil to the system.

Dishwashing can be a beauty treatment and "dishpan hands" can mean soft, white ones, if the dishes are washed with a mild soap in warm water and the scalding is done in the dish-rack. Afterwards, the cuticle which has been softened in the warm water should be gently pushed back and then the hands should be rubbed with a lotion or cream.

When making applesauce, keep the apples covered so that the steam helps to cook them. Do not add the sugar until the apples are soft.

In baking apple pies, use a strong under heat in the oven. This will prevent soggy undercrusts.

Carrots make a good substitute for pumpkins in making pies.

Readers are invited to write to Alice Stevens' Home Service for free advice on home cooking and household problems. Address letters to Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave. E., Winnipeg, Man.

New Cold Storage Method

Chickens Frozen Fourteen Months Keep Without Blemish

A new method of handling poultry in cold storage, likely to be of great value to Canadian exporters, was proven at the National Research Council building, Ottawa, when a box of frozen chickens was taken from a storage vault after 14 months—with not a freezer burn on them.

This new method, developed over the past five years by Dr. W. H. Cook, eliminates the pock marks or freezer burns which ordinarily appear after a few weeks' of storage, reducing saleability because of the birds' spotty appearance.

After months of tests, a wax paper lining in the packing box was completely sealed, with this successful result.

Poultry Exports

More Dressed Poultry Shipped In 1937 Than Any Other Year

More Canadian dressed poultry was exported in 1937 than in any other year, the department of agriculture reported with figures which showed a 79.96 per cent. rise over those in 1936.

Exports in the year just ended totalled 88,996 boxes compared with 49,452. Weight of the 1937 shipment was more than 2,687 tons.

There was also a record export movement of live poultry from Canada to the United States in 1937. In the first 11 months of the year, American buyers took 1,157,768 live chickens and fowl, compared with 344,937 birds in 1936 and 35,547 birds in 1935.

Activity In North

Transportation Companies Doing Big Business In Northwest Territories

Transportation activity in the northwest territories reached a new high in 1937 when the four principal transportation companies, using steam and Diesel-powered boats, carried 23,000 tons of freight from and to Waterways, Alta., at the end of steel, the federal department of mines and resources reported.

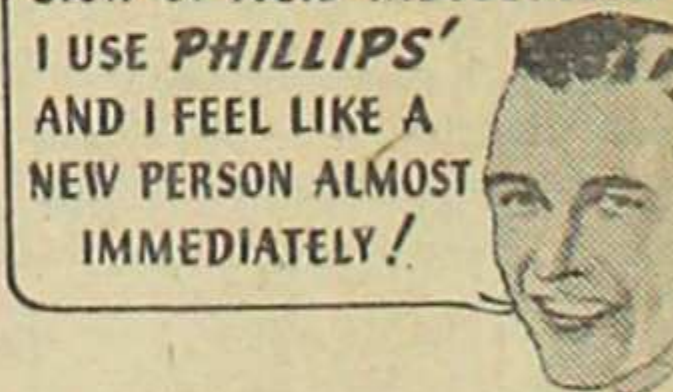
In addition, two main airway companies handled 600 tons of freight and supplies, and due to increased mining activity the transportation companies are looking forward to an even heavier movement in 1938.

Sponges range in size from a speck the size of a pin head to giant growths taller than a man.

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MADE IN CANADA

Lack Of Uniformity Seen In Method Of Soil Surveying By The Various Provinces

The history of soil surveying in Canada is a comparatively short one. The first attempt at mapping soils in the Dominion was made by the Topographical Survey of the Interior in 1919, states A. Leahy, Soils Specialist of the Division of Field Husbandry, Central Experimental Farm at Ottawa, in Scientific Agriculture, issued by the Canadian Society of Technical Agriculturists. In 1921 the Provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan commenced soil surveying in their respective provinces. In the succeeding years, other provinces entered this field of work, until at the present time seven of the nine provinces are carrying on soil surveys. In 1925 the Topographical Survey greatly curtailed its services and in 1930 withdrew entirely.

With the exception of the mapping done by the Topographical Survey, soil surveys have always been under the direct control of the provinces, the work being conducted either by the colleges or Departments of Agriculture. The Dominion Government, however, did not lose interest in this work on the cessation of activities of the Topographical Survey, as, through the Dominion Department of Agriculture, financial aid has been given to the provinces for the encouragement of soil surveys. However, the Dominion Department of Agriculture has never assumed any direct responsibility for the field work, nor for the manner in which the data were presented on the maps.

In the organization of soil surveys in Canada, therefore, there are at the present time seven distinct bodies in charge of the work, each of which receives financial assistance from the Dominion as well as from the Provincial Governments. Except for such voluntary co-operation as is possible, no provisions have been made for keeping these bodies in contact with each other. While this setup has the merit of placing direct responsibility of soil surveying in the hands of the men who are most familiar with the soils and the soil problems of each province, it has resulted in a lack of uniformity in the systems in use of soil classification in the kind and amount of information relative to soils, and in the manner in which the data are presented on the soil map. Considering each province as a separate and distinct unit, the soil survey methods in use have given good results, but when each province is considered as only a part of the whole country, the results are not entirely satisfactory.

A Hundred Years Ago

Very Many Notable People Were Afflicted With Gout

Neville Chamberlain, Prime Minister of Great Britain, is afflicted with gout.

That is news to-day, but as one British writer commented "a hundred years ago it would have been news if we had a Prime Minister who was free from gout."

Lord Burghley, the great Prime Minister of the Virgin Queen, suffered severely from gout. So did the great statesman, the Earl of Chatham, the elder Pitt. Gout drove Pitt to such frenzies that for days at a time he would lock himself away from his family in a solitary room. His meals, when he could eat, were passed through a hatch in the door. The room and door may still be seen at Pitt House, Hampstead.

His son, William Pitt the younger, Charles James Fox, Horace Walpole, the fourth Earl of Oxford, and Sydney Smith, the essayist, were other sufferers.

Gout is an excruciating pain in the chief joint of the great toe which throbs, cuts and stabs. The joint swells and becomes purple; the slightest movement is agony. Nothing seems to bring relief. The attack must wear itself out, and it may last a few days or weeks at a time.

Recipe For Good Living

Lord Horder, the King's physician has a neat recipe for good living. The amenities he would have all people cultivate are these: Clear air to breathe, close contact with the earth and sky and sun, the sight of beautiful things, the hearing of beautiful sounds, and quiet and leisure to enjoy all these. In a word, use your senses and be natural.

First Flying Drug Store

The world's first flying drug store has arrived at Croydon, England. The machine is owned by a German medical firm. It is kept permanently in trim, ready to make fast long distance non-stop flights with heavy loads of medicines.

Honor For Barley Grower

Manitoba Farmer Improves Western Canada Barley Seed

John Wiener's outstanding contributions in the last 13 years in improving western Canada barley were recognized when the national barley committee sponsored a banquet in his honor at Winnipeg.

The Miami, Man., farmer brought into Manitoba before 1924 a sample of Ontario Agriculture College No. 21 barley. From it he produced a grain suitable for western Canada that qualified for malting purposes because of its high standard and uniformity.

His work came at a time when Major H. G. L. Strange, president of the Canadian Seed Growers' Association, was credited with the statement that Manitoba barley was recognized as the worst in the world, used only as a cleaning crop.

Seed growers and maltsters found in 1924 that Wiener's barley was ideal for foundation seed. Ninety per cent. of the 5,000,000 to 10,000,000 bushels of barley from Western Canada in recent years, which annually receives a malting premium, has been traced to his stock.

Wiener won second place at Chicago last December with O.A.C. 21, the type of barley used in North America for malting but he captured the world's barley championship at the same time with a sample of two-rowed Canadian Thorpe barley, a Canadian strain of the British barley used in the United Kingdom by maltsters. He also took the title at the last Toronto Royal Winter fair with a Thorpe exhibit.

Due To Change In Tree

Frost Does Not Color Leaves As Commonly Believed

In the fall, the leaves of the maples and other trees whose leaves fall in the winter, frequently turn glorious combinations of reds, yellows, purples, and browns. It is commonly said that Jack Frost has been busy with his paint brush.

This saying, though quaint, is not entirely accurate. If a very hard, early frost comes, it may cause the leaves to fall before they deck themselves with beautiful colors.

The painting of the leaves is more directly the result of a change in the tree itself. With the approach of winter and its rigors, the tree puts a thicker coat of bark on its twigs and gets ready to shed its leaves by cutting down the supply of chlorophyll, the substance which produces the green color in plants and enables them to take food from the air.

As the supply of chlorophyll, or green coloring matter, decreases, other pigments, which are always present in leaves, get a chance to make themselves known.

Consequently, in the fall, when the tree's life processes become more and more sluggish in preparation for lying practically dormant through the winter, the chlorophyll no longer crowds out the derivatives of carotin, the anthocyanins, and the flavones; and these substances (not Jack Frost) deck the leaves in thrilling reds and yellows and purples and browns.

Flying Classrooms

Will Supplement Ground Instruction For Canadian Air Students

"Flying classrooms" will lighten the tedium of learning for Royal Canadian Air Force student fliers. It was learned at Montreal construction of four big classroom planes; will begin shortly in a Montreal aircraft factory at a cost of nearly \$100,000.

Each of the four sturdy Noorduyn "Norsemen" will have accommodation for six to eight instructors and students, and will be used to teach embryo fliers bombing, map readings, navigation sketching, radio communications and "spotting" for artillery.

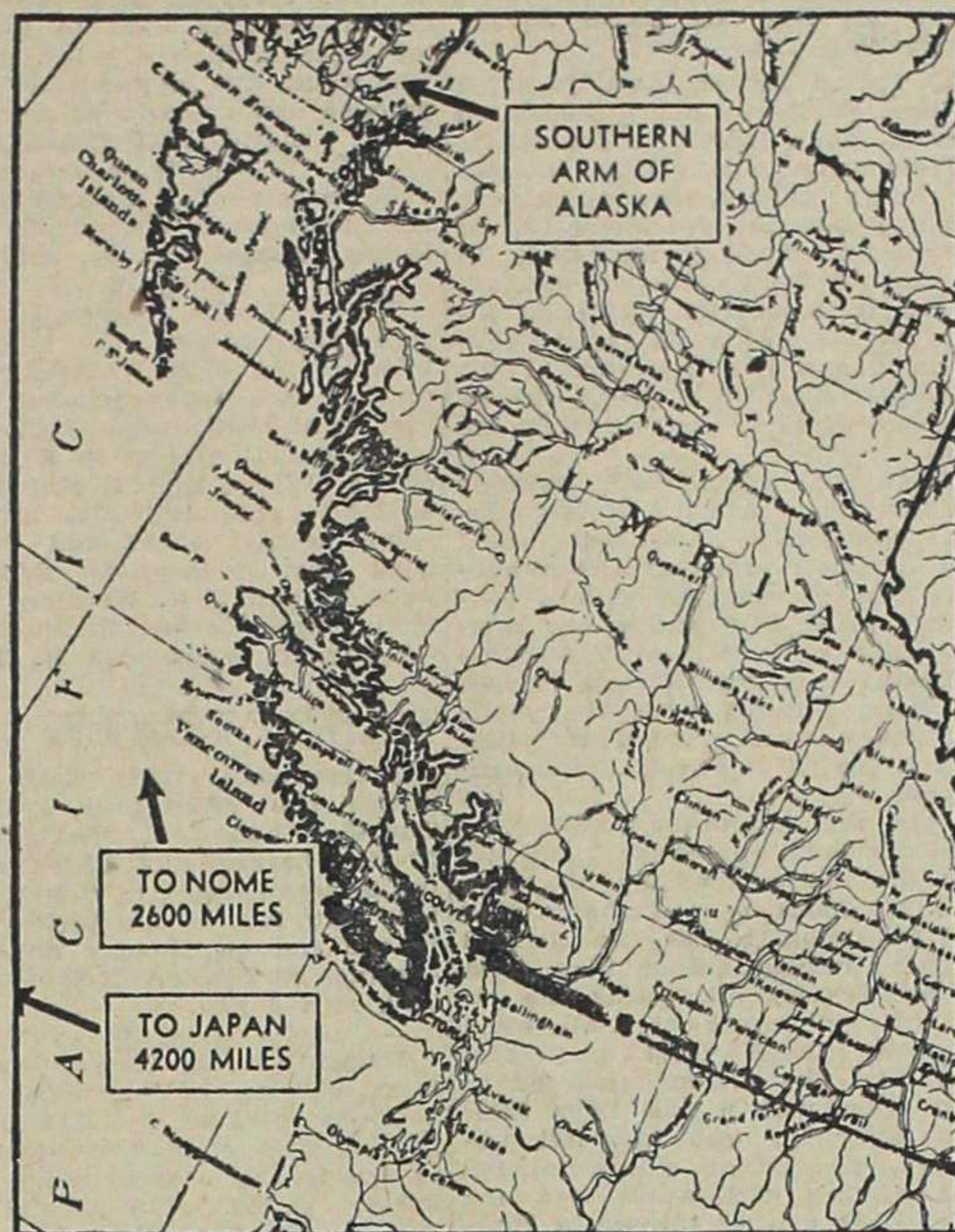
The aerial classes will supplement the usual theoretical teaching of ground school. Under actual flight conditions, Canada's young airmen will learn the science of aerial warfare under the first-hand guidance of experienced instructors.

Four Days In Box Car

Two kittens were rescued from their imprisonment in a grain car at Fort Erie, Ont., when Cecil Opie, Canadian National Railways checker, heard plaintive cries from within the car. The box car had been loaded at St. Louis four days ago.

The union belongs to one of our oldest families: it is pictured on ancient Egyptian monuments. 2238

AN INTERESTING MAP OF THE "VULNERABLE" PACIFIC COAST



Coastal defense on the Pacific coast will be the main item in the defense program to be discussed before Parliament, because of the menace in the Far East. This interesting map shows the difficulties which will have to be faced in preparing adequate defense plans. Inset are the approximate distances between the British Columbia and Washington coast and Alaska and Japan.

Advertising Canada

Building At Empire Exhibition At Glasgow Will Be Credit To Dominion

Canada's building at the Empire exhibition at Glasgow this summer will be a virtual projection of the social and economic life of the Dominion.

It will provide a complete picture of the day-to-day life of the Canadian, and present thereby an attractive show window for the commercial exhibitors selling Canada's products.

The Canadian building, with 24,000 square feet of flooring and a central tower 100 feet high, will enjoy a commanding position on the exhibition grounds in Bellahouston park. The dominion and colonial buildings will be grouped along Dominions avenue and this will be the most important and impressive avenue of the fair.

A massive diorama, 600 feet square, will feature the main wall. It will be a three-dimensional map of Canada on a copper base, painted and enamelled to depict in picture and phrase the principal features of the Dominion.

It will be illuminated in a unique manner whereby each separate phase of Canadian life may be traced by itself. A visitor wishing, for example, to view the mining areas of Canada will press a "mining" button and the whole mineral topography will be presented in colored lights. The same facility will be offered those interested in agriculture, industry, air routes, railways, Hudson's Bay Company posts, cities, provinces and so on.

The copper background is to be pieced together in 280 sections so it may be dismantled at the end of the 1938 fair and established perhaps at the world fair in New York or for permanent use in Ottawa or London.

The exhibition, to last six months from May 1, has many advance signs of good business.

A Different Picture

Vessels From Many Countries Go To The Aid Of A Ship In Distress

Another story of the chivalry and comradeship of the sea.

An American liner piles up on a small island south of Formosa.

A German freighter picks up her distress signal, steams to her aid and stands by as long as needed.

The Canadian Pacific Empress of Asia leaves her course and hurries to the scene. Japan orders two warships and a seaplane to lend what aid they can to the stranded vessel and its marooned passengers.

And three American destroyers dash from Manila to do what they can for human beings in danger and distress.

What a different picture of international co-operation from that which governments paint, when they fly into a rage, start shooting, and forget the obligation of humanity to the innocent and defenseless!—Detroit Free Press.

Have No Postage Value

South Africa Issuing Kruger Park Stamps For Publicity

Eight hundred thousand Kruger Park publicity stamps, the first of their kind ever printed, have been ordered by the National Parks Board of Trustees, and will be on sale throughout South Africa early this year as part of a campaign to carry the message of the Union's game sanctuary to every corner of the world. The stamps will be divided into sets of eight, each bearing the likeness of a different animal of the park, and in their rich colors represent perhaps the most attractive stamps ever prepared in South Africa.

The stamps are purely publicity stamps, and will have no postage value.—Johannesburg Star.

Market For Canadian Wheat Built On Quality Basis, And Supply Continuity Is Vital

Responds To Commands

Electric Robot Eats Cake, Smokes, And Speaks English

Just over from Germany, where it took seven years to produce, an electric robot entertained a group of London business men the other day, and when asked by the inventor, "Well, is it a human being or a robot?" not one of them was prepared to give a straight answer, according to the London Daily Express.

Of course, they were not allowed to touch it, but from five feet away you couldn't tell whether the eyes were not real or whether the face was not a flesh-and-blood one, the reporter who covered the seance says.

"Here are some of the things the robot, handsome and smartly dressed as a young man-about-town, did: 'It got up from a chair and walked the length of the room. 'It took off its felt hat with a gracious bow.

"It smoked a cigarette.—Blew smoke through its nose. 'It drank a glass of water. Picked up the glass from the table and returned it.

"It munched a piece of cake. Adam's apple distinctly moved. 'Then it startled every one by saying in perfect English, 'Hallo. How do you do?' Voice was squeaky lips moved.

"Its inventor told me it could drive a car, bake a cake and demonstrate machines. 'The inventor stands twenty feet away and in a quiet voice gives his commands."

Lost False Teeth

Woman Travelling On British Train Meets With Accident

Every year on the British railways about 200 people stop trains by pulling the communication cord. Common offenders are people who have boarded the wrong train or those who have been carried past the station at which they think the train should stop.

An official recalled the case of an elderly woman who was leaning out of a compartment window calling goodbye to her friends on the platform. As the train moved off she leaned out further and further, calling "Goodbye."

She was shouting her loudest and last goodbye when her false teeth dropped out, and she immediately pulled the communication cord in order to retrieve them. Instances have occurred where foreign passengers pulled the cord thinking they were ringing for the attendant.

"We sometimes have cases of people pulling the communication cord 'just for fun,' added the official, "and when summoned they are quite ready to pay £5 (\$24.95) though in my opinion it is a dear £5 worth of fun."

Other cases include: A Welshman who pulled the cord three times to protest against the lighting of the compartment; a man who stopped a train as a protest against a young woman who insisted on smoking in a non-smoking compartment and a woman travelling in the Peak district who thought the train was going too fast.

The Darkest Hour

The Forces Of Darkness Are Not Always In The Saddle

It seems to me that the world cannot endure its split personality much longer. Either it will plump without further reservations for force, unrestricted and ruthless, or it will turn to something different.

I would call it an even-money bet. This year of 1938 may see more brutality than 1937 gave us, or it may see a new light on the horizon. I have a hunch that what we are now in is that darkest hour which comes just before dawn. I have a hunch that great things—good or bad—impend.

There are wars everywhere, and even in lands called peaceful there is little peace. It is a time that puts a strain on optimism. But the forces of darkness do not have the world wholly to themselves. Other forces are abroad and busy. Unorganized and inarticulate as yet, there seems to be a growing belief that only by conscience can we be saved.—H. V. O'Brien in Chicago Daily News.

"Is your husband's studio prospering?" the young bride was asked. "Indeed it is," was the confident reply. "He must be making lots of money, for he told me last night that they had to appoint a receiver to assist him."

Over two hundred thousand farmers in Western Canada will be seeding wheat next spring. While the chief concern of many will be the possible weather conditions of the succeeding four or five months, these farmers will all be vitally interested in the market possibilities for the 1938 crop. The market for wheat is influenced by many factors and these are all given careful consideration in the preparation of the grain section of the Agricultural Situation and Outlook for 1938, prepared by the Dominion Departments of Agriculture and of Trade and Commerce.

World wheat production in 1937 was moderately larger than that of the previous year, but this increase was approximately offset by a reduction in world stocks at the beginning of the crop year. The distribution of the 1937 crop, however, was such that the importing countries had a more adequate supply and consequently world trade in wheat is expected to be lower in 1937-38 than was the case in 1936-37 when 605 million bushels moved in international trade. The United Kingdom is the largest market for Canadian wheat and this year, it is expected that Belgium, Germany, Holland and France will also be importers of substantial quantities.

The market for Canadian wheat has been built up on a quality basis and on continuity of supply, hence, it is vital to the interests of Canada to have at least 200 million bushels of wheat available for export in each crop year in order that the advantage of existing markets may be realized. In the present crop year, the 1937 crop of 182.5 million bushels along with a carryover from the previous crop year of 32.7 million bushels, leaves Canada with a supply of only 215 million bushels of wheat. Out of this supply, about 100 million bushels will be needed for domestic requirements and with a minimum carryover of 30 million bushels, a maximum of 85 million bushels are available for export during the current season. This amount falls regrettably short of the volume of Canadian wheat that importing countries have been willing to take even in the years of low world import demand. In view of the low carry-over which will be available on August 1, 1938, it would appear that the probable crop on a wheat acreage similar to that sown in 1937 could be absorbed without difficulty.

All phases of the wheat situation, as well as that of all major farm enterprises are discussed in the Agricultural Situation and Outlook for 1938. Copies are available free from the Publicity and Extension Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Task Of New Year

To Co-operate In Order To Make Canada One Nation

- 2-vca-awAoktyom- and ah- Make Canada one nation: this is Canada's job of the year. It is a job to which every citizen must put his hand.

To leave it to selfish, narrow-minded provincial politicians of the type that have been particularly vocal in recent weeks is to jeopardize our future as a nation.

The job will require a modernized constitution.

It will require the best wisdom and judgment the Rowell Commission can bring to bear on our complex financial and taxation puzzles.

It will require elimination of overlapping services and of the vexatious confusion and waste that have crept into our governmental system since 1867.

It will require encouragement of every unifying force such as our national publications.

Above all, it will require the active co-operation of all Canadians who believe Canada should go forward as one nation and who are prepared to make sacrifices, if necessary, to achieve this end.

This is Canada's job for 1938.—Financial Post.

Providing Free Toys

Free toys are to be provided in all the public parks and gardens of Athens for the benefit of small children. The toys will be made by students at various schools and will be at the disposal of the children during the day under the supervision of a municipal employee.

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SOCCER

Abbotsford Ties City Soccer Squad
In Exciting Tilt

Abbotsford soccer team garnered
its first points in many moons on
Sunday, when they held Maccabees
of Vancouver to a 3-3 tie. Despite
the heavy ground, the game was
fast and gave the spectators lots of
excitement. Feeling ran high in
the second half, when Abbotsford
started to force the play, and sev-
eral verbal arguments almost end-
ed in blows. As a result of his
consistent dangerous play, one of
the city players was sent off the
field.

Abbotsford started off strongly
and threatened in the first few min-
utes. Maccabees, however, rallied
and did their share of the attack-
ing. They scored first with a con-
verted corner kick and a few min-
utes later again tallied. The locals
had hard luck with several efforts,
one from Godson, with the goalie
sprawled on the ground, unfortun-
ately hitting a full-back and bounc-
ing out.

After the cross-over, Abbotsford
decidedly took the upper hand and
kept the ball around the Maccabee
goal. Blacklock opened the scoring
for Abbotsford when he headed
through from a corner kick from
Godson. Shortly afterwards the lo-
cals tied the score at 2-all when
Plowright scored from a penalty
kick. The city eleven retaliated in
short order with a goal from their
right wingman, who was left un-
covered. Abbotsford still continued
their attacks and again tied the
score, Scott driving through a first-
time shot from close range. Shortly
before, a goal by Godson was called
offside by the referee.

Saturday of this week Abbotsford
senior soccer team journey to West
Vancouver, where they will meet
the strong West Van. squad in a
league engagement.

Interest runs high in the coming
Abbotsford seniors vs. juniors tilt.
Dick Blacklock states he is going
to get four goals for the juniors.
Gerry Bader tells Dick he shouldn't
tell lies like that. Tsk, tsk!

BADMINTON

First of all, we wish to thank the
Teachers' Badminton Club for giv-
ing up their time on Saturday after-
noon to the Junior Club, which en-
ables me to take on another class,
making three two-hour periods; the
first one starts at 9:30 a.m. as usual,
the next at 11:30 a.m.; and the
third at 1:45 p.m.

It is planned that the 'A' Class
will play during the last period,
any that find this does not work
in with their duties are requested
to get in touch with me. This new
arrangement does not go into effect
until February 19.

I will now be able to take on
all that have their names on the
waiting list and a few others, so
any that are wanting to join must
get in touch with me right away,
as the space will soon be filled.
The ages remain the same, 10 to
15 years. On Feb. 12 the names of
all players will be listed in their
respective classes, and posted on the
bulletin board, so all the juniors
are asked to read it carefully and
find out what hours their class
plays.

The Club teams are busy with
tournaments daily the next two
weeks; on Feb. 8 the A team is
playing against the staff at Essen-
dale. Playing on the team is Naomi
Bailey, Kay Webster, Violet Hay,
Janet Golos, Bernie Marshall, Phil
Fadden, Bobby Hay and John Ir-
vine.

Ivan Golos has been a good steady
player on our 'A' team, but as we
have to play mixed on Tuesday, it
was thought Ivan was too small, so
have substituted John. Let's hope
he does as well.

On Feb. 12 the 'C' team are going
to Matsqui for a return match ag-
ainst the school team there.

On Feb. 15 the 'A' team journeys
to Central Park to play the A.Y.P.A.
team.

There are several other tourna-
ments waiting for dates which are
not easy to set, as we do not like
mid-week tournaments, and basket-
ball seems to take up practically all
the Friday evenings. However, we
are hoping to get a spare one to-
wards the end of the month.

During March the Club plans to

hold their own tournament in three
of four divisions, and the players
are all working hard to gain that
top place in their division. Any one
who would like to watch the Juniors
practice are welcome at any time.

MARGARET TRETHEWEY

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Matsqui School Jan. 29, not Mission

White Rock senior badminton
club players met the Abbotsford
intermediate club (A.Y.P.A.) in a
tournament Wednesday evening last
in the local badminton hall. Final
score was 19 games to 5 in favor
of the visitors, but the play was not
so lopsided as indicated, all games
being keenly fought and won the
hard way. Playing for Abbotsford
were N. Bailey, K. Webster, Mrs. T.
Irvine, Betty Irvine, D. Sheppard, R.
Conway, T. Irvine and R. Serl.

BASKETBALL

A basketball team from Sumas
visited the Abbotsford Centre on
Thursday and beat the local boys
30-12. Larger part of each even-
ing is now devoted to games of var-
ious sorts and all are invited to join
in the fun on Monday and Thurs-
days in the Auditorium—women
7:30, men 9 p.m.

Matsqui senior men's basketball
team will meet Cloverdale seniors
Saturday evening in Matsqui hall,
in the first of a two-game series
to decide the championship of the
Fraser Valley. The second game
will be played at Cloverdale on the
following Tuesday. Total points in
the two games will decide the win-
ning squad.

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Coming Events

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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 14
Couple 35c Refreshments

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Lobban Sisters Orchestra
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Carmenians Orchestra
Four instructors from the Bel-Air
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**VALENTINE DAY
DANCE**
Bernie Feedham
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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 18th

Admission 50c Dancing 9:30-2:30
Free Bus From Abbotsford
Good Floor Good Time

Poultry Lecture
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"From the Brooder House to
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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 14
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ABBOTSFORD THEATRE—FEBRUARY 16th & 17th
In Search of 200 Amateur Artists in British Columbia.

The Local Contest for these Artists will be held as stated above
Those passing the local test will be granted permission to enter
Lobo's Amateur Hour in British Columbia, broadcast over Radio
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Ticket Box Opens 6:30 p.m. Amateur Hour starts promptly at 7
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BLACK CURRANT JAM, Fraser Valley pectin 4-lb. tin 49c
VINEGAR, white or brown - 32-oz. bottle 19c
WINDSOR SALT, free-flowing - 7lb. sack 15c
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Seedless Raisins 2 lbs. 25c
Dates 2 lbs. 15c
Cremola Custard Packet 15c
Dog Biscuits 2 lbs. 21c
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